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TO THE SEA.

A DREAM, AND YET NOT ALL A DREAM.

Speculations Upon the Great Dash of the Louisville Magnates—What can be Gathered From the Wreck?—Making Hay While the Sun Shines.

Special dispatch to The Constitution.

NASHVILLE, January 22.—The Louisville and Nashville purchase of the Nashville and Chattanooga will probably complicate an old arrangement made by the Memphis and Charleston to run over their track to Stevenson from Chattanooga. In 1857, by arbitration (J. P. King and Campbell Wallace being on the board), the Memphis and Charleston was permitted to use the track of the Nashville and Chattanooga railroad for thirty years on payment of an annual rent. Dr. Stevenson, at the time this trade was made, cursed fiercely, because he said he went over this road country when no one else would try it and as soon as he had made his route a success he had to surrender a part of it to Sam Tate. This contract expires in seven years, and when it does the Memphis and Charleston and its eastern connections, the Est Tennessee and Virginia railroad, will be just thirty-eight miles apart. So for the next seven years you may look for an effort on the part of Richard Wilson and his friends to close up.

A special from Louisville to the American, reports Colonel DeFuniak as saying that "Nashville cannot but be benefited by the change in the railroad situation." He says that "Nashville is the natural distributing point for the combined system, and that the management of the Louisville and Nashville and Great Southern railroad cannot afford to cut Nashville or St. Louis to build any one city."

It was reported here yesterday that some trouble had been met with at New York, relative to the transfer of Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railway stock to the Louisville management. It is said that it was understood by the latter that the purchase of the stock of that road carried with it the control of the Western and Atlantic and the Georgia Central, and when it was discovered that this was not the case, the postponement of the transfer of the stock was the result. Beyond this rumor, which doubtless came by grapevine, there was no new gossip about the railroad situation.

Within a few days the Louisville and Nashville and Great Southern company will take final and official control of the Mobile and Montgomery road, and it is believed that they are making a further move toward the acquisition of the New Orleans and Mobile road. This is now in the hands of a receiver, and is being run in the interest of the bondholders. The plan is said to be to obtain an order of the court to sell the road out under foreclosure, when the bondholders will buy it in, and it will be discovered that a majority of these are persons interested in the Louisville and Nashville and Great Southern company. The latter will then have under their absolute control 3,500 miles of railroad—the largest aggregate under one management in the world. The combination will include what may be denominated the Louisville and Nashville main line, from Louisville, south, to New Orleans, via Nashville and Decatur, Montgomery and Mobile, with a small branch from Decatur, Ala., on the Mobile and Montgomery road to Pensacola; the Louisville, New Albany and Chicago road from Louisville north, via Indianapolis and Lafayette, to Michigan City, on Lake Michigan, whence connection can be made to Chicago by way of the Michigan Central, Pittsburg and Fort Wayne and Grand Trunk routes, or by a road sixty-five miles long; a branch of the Louisville and Nashville road southwest only from Memphis Junction to Memphis; the St. Louis and Southeastern road southeasterly from St. Louis to Nashville, via Evansville; the Nashville and Chattanooga road, still southeasterly, from Nashville to Chattanooga; the Western and Atlantic road, from Chattanooga to Atlanta, and the Georgia Central road, from Atlanta to Savannah via Macon, besides numerous minor branches. These will give an uninterrupted route from the fresh-water lakes to the gulf on the one hand, and from St. Louis to Savannah on the other. A complete monopoly of through southern tariff will be secured; every outlet from Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama and Georgia below Cincinnati, on the Ohio, and Memphis, on the Mississippi, will be controlled, and all competing or other lines will be made purely local or contributory.

LEAGUING WITH CINCINNATI.

The American of this morning says editorially: "As was to be expected, and as a matter of course, there is a disposition on the part of the Louisville railroad, or rather of those interested in it, to calm the excitement and to mitigate the disappointment of the southern people, whose hopes have been dashed by its adroit capture of what was known as the Cole system, by picturing the rose-colored future in store for us by the transfer of the whole management of the entire southeastern system to Louisville. We have extracts from Louisville newspapers and some correspondence to enlighten us as to the blessed benefits to inure to Nashville by having Louisville undertake for her the management of her own railroads. It would be idle now to enter into argument with these specious reasoners upon so dead an issue. Let them assume that the Cole system had swallowed the Louisville system, and answer their own reasoning from that standpoint, in their own conscience, and see how the boot feels on the other leg. Our argument should be action instead of words. We should recommend to Colonel Cole to push on the completion of the Owensboro connection and all the other authorized extensions of the Cole system, and either hold the Western and Atlantic and the Georgia Central lessees or make common cause with Cincinnati."

PUSHING THE WORK.

E. Culverhouse, superintendent of construction of the Evansville, Owensboro and Nashville road, being built by Colonel Cole, telegraphed to Cole substantially as follows:

Am working now on the road at an expense of $1,000 a day. In view of the change in the situation, what shall I do?

He received the following answer:

Do not stop. Keep on working.

E. W. COLE.

It is understood here that Cole will retain control of the St. Louis and Southeastern road to this city, and, by completing with the road now in process of construction, will have a competing line from St. Louis to Savannah.

THE BIG SCOOP.

NEW YORK, January 20.—The consolidation of the southern lines of railway under the immediate control of the Louisville and Nashville company, full details of which appeared in the Star on Monday, was the absorbing topic of conversation on Wall street yesterday. It transpired that the proportions of Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis stock which gave a majority were: Stevenson, Nephew & Son, $1,250,000; Evans & Son, $400,000; and Baldwin, $350,000, a total of $2,000,000—out of which large fortunes were made.

Concerning the transfer the New York Times prints an interesting story to the effect that the special clause in the Nashville and Chattanooga charter compelling the consent of two-thirds of the stockholders to ratify any measure was unknown to the Louisville and Nashville folks, who, having obtained possession of a majority of the stock, made public the story of their purchase. When the news reached Colonel Cole, president of the Nashville and Chattanooga, who had not been consulted, he saw his opportunity, and, hastening to Chattanooga, telegraphed the facts to a pool of seven Wall street brokers, which he knew had formed a few days ago, and had purchased 60,000 shares of the company's stock at 90 to 92 per cent and asked them to hold on to the stock at all hazards. Meantime the stock began to decline rapidly, to the great dismay of the pool. Colonel Cole's information was a godsend to them, albeit he did not offer to take the stock off their hands, for it showed them how they might extricate themselves from their predicament not only without loss, but with great profit. They went at once to the Louisville and Nashville representatives and laid the matter before them, offering to sell the stock in their possession at 95. The Louisville and Nashville people needed 40,000 shares to give them two-thirds of the capital outstanding, and there was no other issue except that which was held in the hands of their enemies, the supporters of Colonel Cole. They offered the pool their own terms for the forty thousand. An answer was returned that it must be all or nothing. This the Louisville and Nashville people would not agree to, and they made an attempt to frighten the pool by going into the market and vigorously hammering the stock down. They succeeded in forcing it to 80 per cent, and managed to secure 5,000 shares at 83 per cent, but 3 o'clock came and they were still 35,000 shares short. In this dilemma they were forced to reopen negotiations with the pool, which was done, and the entire 60,000 shares were transferred to the Louisville and Nashville interest at 95 per cent., giving them 25,000 shares more than the requisite two-thirds of the capital of the Nashville and Chattanooga road, and placing the success of the combination beyond peradventure. Colonel Cole continued to pour telegrams into the offices of the pool-brokers all day, advising them to stand firm. His last dispatch, received after 3 p. m., read: "Hold the fort. I have the key to the situation."

Chattanooga's Comfort.

Chattanooga Times.

Yesterday the air was rife with rumors more startling than reasonable. The principal report was that Cole is all right and has gone north to save his system. It is further stated that the Georgia Central was secured by the Brown-Cole party, and in combination with the Cincinnati Southern would force the Louisville and Nashville to gladly resign its grip on the throat of the Cole system. It was stated by a gentleman from Nashville that Stevenson had telegraphed Cole to "Come up at once," and that like summonses came from the south and Baltimore. Governor Brown, who went to his coal mines on Monday, returned last night to Atlanta on a pressing call, it is said, from Savannah. Keep cool; the end is not yet—and no one knows what it will be.

We are powerless to control the gigantic combinations seeking the monopoly of the southern traffic. The last move threatens Atlanta and Nashville, but is relieved Chattanooga from the division of freights at Dalton over the Georgia Western. The late war demonstrated that Chattanooga was the "key to the south." The Cincinnati Southern railway would have shortened the war nearly one-half. We are now the railroad "key to the south." The Louisville, Nashville and Great Southern railroad controls one line through us. The Cincinnati Southern controls one line to us. These two will not agree to run to deep water over one line. In the nature of things it cannot be. There is ample business to support two lines. If no new line is built, we have the advantage over Nashville and Atlanta of competition to and from us. But if our people only hold on to our charter to Rome, the rival lines will bid for the right to build it, and that very soon.

Rome and Chattanooga Air-Line.

Rome Courier.

We understand that Colonel Blanchard has closed a contract with parties to build that portion of the Rome and Chattanooga road between Summerville and a point near Cathey's and Robinson's Gaps. It is not yet definitely ascertained which route the road will go, whether by Cathey's or Robinson's Gap. We have reasons to hope, from telegrams just received, that a contract will be concluded in a few days that will secure the building of the road direct through to Chattanooga.

The Cincinnati Southern.

CINCINNATI, January 21.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Cincinnati Southern railway company, a report was submitted showing that for the fraction of the year beginning May 26 and ending December 31, 1879, the gross receipts from the road between Cincinnati and Somerset, 157 miles, were $461,263; operating expenses proper, $248,000. To this should be added $20,500 interest on capital, leaving a net profit of $192,763. The company expects to have the entire road to Chattanooga finished by the 1st of February. The board of directors were re-elected.

The Gnash with a G.

Nashville American.

When we get on the rampage over a railroad scoop we show our teeth, but the paragraphic fiend who calls us Gnashville should order his casket before a further advance in the price of iron.

The Stock Boom.

NEW YORK, January 22.—There has been a boom in the stock of the St. Louis and Iron Mountain, the price advancing to 57½. The Evening Post says that the earnings of the road are very large, compared with last year, but the principal reason for the sudden change in the price of the stock is a report that the Wabash people are buying it. They deny that they are doing so, and say their interest lies in developing the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, which, for the purpose they have in view, is a rival line to the Iron Mountain.

The joint executive committee of the trunk lines made some changes to-day in the cotton rates from western river ports as follows: St. Louis to New York, 47 cents per 100 pounds; Cairo, 47 cents; Evansville, 45 cents; Louisville, 43 cents; Cincinnati, 40 cents. Cotton received from steamer from East St. Louis, 49 cents; from Cairo, 49 cents; from Evansville, 45 cents; from Louisville and Jeffersonville, 45 cents; from Cincinnati, 40 cents.

Bids for 250,000 shares of the New York Central stock, recently purchased from Vanderbilt, were opened to-day by the syndicate committee, and 200,000 shares have been disposed of in London and New York at prices ranging from 131 to 135.

THE NATIONAL BANK RESERVE.

A Statement of Interest from the Treasury Department.

In view of the interest felt in the bill on the subject of bank reserves, now pending in congress, the following statement, just made, of the cash reserve held by the national banks, and also the amount required to be held by them, December 12th, 1879, is important:

NEW YORK CITY.	
Specie	$ 49,493,110
Legal tender notes	7,65 ,513
United States certificates of deposit	2,310,0 0
Amount held	$ 59,456,623
Amount required	54,882,935
OTHER RESERVE CITIES.	
Specie	$ 15,580,026
Legal tender notes	17,708,553
United States certificates of deposit	8,315,000
Amount held	$ 41 612 580
Amount required	27,779,624
STATES AND TERRITORIES.	
Specie	$ 13,256,970
Legal tender notes	29,339,852
United States certificates of deposit	670,000
Amount held	$ 43,266,822
Amount required	16,505,593
UNITED STATES.	
Specie	$ 74,330,106
Legal tender notes	54,704,919
United States certificates of deposit	11,295,000
Amount held	$141,336,025
Amount required	99,168,152

Fair Street School.

At its session last night the board of education elected the following teachers for the Fair street school, to take office when the school is opened: Principal—A. J. M. Bizien; second grade, Miss Katie B. Massey; third grade, Miss Ella Darling; fourth grade, Mrs. A. F. Smith; fifth grade, Mrs. C. C. Knight; sixth grade, Miss Anna Muse; seventh grade, Miss Mary Johnson; eighth grade, Miss Phoebe Fuller.

Miss Hillyer was promoted from the sixth grade Ivy street school to the sixth grade Walker street vice Miss Mesey.

Mrs. H. M. Colquitt was elected to fill the place vacated by Miss Hillyer in Ivy street school.

Miss Amelia Eichberg was elected to fill the second eighth grade made vacant by Miss Fuller's promotion to Fair street school.

A Canard Reiterated.

Special dispatch to The Constitution.

LONDON, January 22.—The Standard's Rome correspondent positively reaffirms the statement that the pope had sent a telegram to Cardinal McCloskey in regard to the cardinal having countenanced Mr. Parnell. The correspondent asserts that explanations were demanded, and have been received at the vatican.

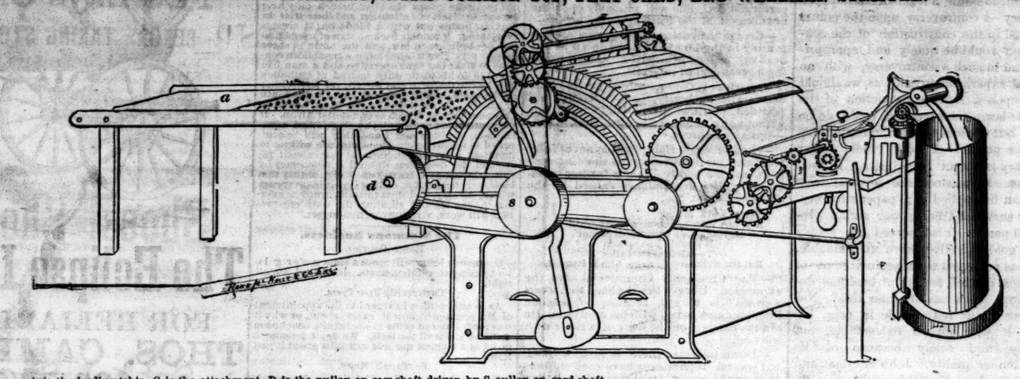
Grant and Party.

HAVANA, January 22.—General Grant and party arrived here on the steamer Admiral this morning. They were received by General Arois, civil governor of the province, and conducted to the palace where they will remain during their stay here. After making the trip to Hayti and perhaps to the island, General Grant will sail for Vera Cruz about February 12th.

Coming Back.

LIVERPOOL, January 22.—The Princess Louise, marchioness of Lorne, embarked for Halifax to-day in the steamship Sarmatian.

THE CLEMENT ATTACHMENT, WITH COMMON TOP, FLAT CARD, AND WELLMAN STRIPPER.



A is the feeding-table, C is the attachment, D is the pulley on saw-shaft driven by S pulley on card-shaft.

SEED COTTON.

The Clement Attachment and What it Will Do—Immense Economic Benefits it Will Confer on the South.

The Clement attachment is a small cotton gin used by the yarn manufacturer in connection with the top flat cotton card for converting seed cotton directly into sliver. It differs from the plantation gin in the following, viz.: The saws are smaller and are set closer together on the saw-shaft, the teeth of the saws are finer, the brush is smaller and more thickly set with bristles, the saws and brush both run much lower, and the brush runs but little faster than the saws. It also has a peculiar moter or set of combining plates, which removes the motes and trash from the lint as it is taken from the seed. The seed cotton is cleaned of all dust, grit, and much leaf trash and motes before it is passed to the attachment, by a small and inexpensive machine called the cotton-cleaner. It occupies a space of only 40x40x48 inches. The size of the gin is regulated by the size of the card with which it is to be connected. The extreme dimensions of a gin for a thirty-six inch card are 18x18x56 inches. It is framed to fit the frame of the card, in place of the licker-in and lap roll as used in the old method, which entitles it to the appellation "attachment." The Clement attachment, therefore, is simply the plantation or Whitney gin so modified and improved by Clement and others that it works in direct connection with the manufacturer's card. It gently removes the lint from the seed without breaking or naping it, and transfers it to the card cylinder by means of a slow brush, without tangling, in exact proportion to the capacity or requirements of the card—no condensing, no lapping. It at once dispenses with all opening and lapping machinery, and forms a new process of manufacturing, whereby seed cotton is made directly into sliver. The sliver is then made into yarn by the usual method.

Many who may be interested in reading of the Clement attachment new process of manufacturing, may not be acquainted with yarn-making machinery, the peculiar names and offices of the different parts, and its workings. Let us, therefore, describe the old method in this connection, in order to give a clearer understanding of the new. The first operation in the old method is to open and loosen up the lint from its pressed or compressed state, and prepare it for carding. The most improved machines now in use for these purposes are the compound opener lapper and the finisher lapper with evener. The latter forms the lap, which is a kind of wide cotton bat, into a large roll called the lap-roll. The lap roll is then passed to its place on the card frame, where it is slowly unrolled and fed to the card; the feeding is done by what is known as the licker-in and feed rolls. The licker-in and feed rolls are fitted to the card-frame in close proximity to the card cylinder, and, as it were, lick in the lint to the card cylinder. The card cylinder revolves under a system of top flat cards in such a manner as to comb it out, straighten, or lay parallel the fibre. The fibre thus straightened is then removed from the card cylinder by another and smaller cylinder, known as the doffer. It is then stripped from the doffer by a rapidly reciprocating comb into a thin sheet, which is passed through a guide and pair of calander rolls shaped into a continuous roll of sliver. By this method a line or system of cards is always used; the sliver from the different cards is all passed into one trough, or railway box, as it is called, and conveyed by an endless apron of belt to the railway drawing-head, where it is all united and drawn into one, and delivered to a revolving tin can. The cans so filled with sliver are passed to the drawing-frame, where the sliver is again doubled and drawn. It is then passed in the cans to the coarse speeder, where it is drawn smaller and wound on spools and then passed to the fine speeder, where the roving is doubled, drawn, and wound on other spools. Thence to the spinning-frames, where the roving is spun into yarn.

"Now, as to the new or seed cotton process. The first operation is to pass the seed cotton through the cotton-cleaner, which cleans it of all dust, grit, and much of the leaf trash and motes. It is then uniformly distributed on an endless revolving apron of the feeding table, so situated as to place it into the Clement gin, which is attached to the card. The gin takes the lint from the seed, the brush takes it from the gin, and the card cylinder takes it from the brush. It is then carded, drawn, roved, and spun as by the old method. By this process there is no tangling, naping, cutting or breaking the fibre—no packing, no condensing, no opening, no picking nor lapping. The advantages that this process presents over the old method, to both the manufacturer and the producer, may be briefly summed up as follows, namely: To the manufacturer, a great saving in amount and cost of machinery, motive power, operative and contingent expenses, less waste, less danger from fire, a superior quality and increased quantity of production. It at once relieves the producer of all ginning and baling machinery, with their many attendant expenses, amounting to millions of dollars annually.

John V. Stribling, Westminster, S. C., agent for the sale of patent and projector of new process cotton factories, is prepared to furnish all machinery required.

FOREIGN FLASHES.

Trouble Again Brewing in Afghanistan—The Colliery Explosion.

LONDON, January 22.—A dispatch from Cabul to the Standard says matters here are very unsettled. An outbreak is possible at any time, and is almost certain to occur as soon as the snow melts. Mahomed Jan is very popular among the Afghanists, who will willingly follow him again if called upon. They do not admit their defeat, but say they were only dispersed because they had no cannon with which to dislodge the British from Shirpur. The next time they say they will have cannon. Mohamed Jan is actively preparing for another rising. The Kohistanis are quiet, but can't be relied on to remain so when disturbances recommence. The excitement at Logar continues. The British position at Shirpur has been greatly strengthened, but it is too extensive to be held by a part of the garrison, should many troops be sent out for offensive operations. There is an uncertainty as to whether the British intend to hold or abandon the country works to their disadvantage.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, January 22.—The corpses of fifty of the victims of the explosion in the Lycette colliery at Newcastle-under-Tyne yesterday morning have now been recovered. Of the twelve persons got out of the mine alive yesterday, five have died and the others are dying.

GERMANY.

BERLIN, January 22.—A bill has been introduced in the bundsrath providing for an increase of the German army by 13 new regiments, 32 field batteries and a battalion of pioneers. This increase will require an additional annual outlay of seventeen million marks.

Results of the Boom.

WHEELING, W. VA., January 22.—The January invoice of the various iron and glass manufacturing concerns in this city and vicinity show the results of the present business boom. The Etna iron works has declared a 10 per cent. cash dividend; the Bellaire mill, 16 per cent.; the Wheeling iron and nail works, 10 per cent., and the Benwood company 15 per cent. There are other concerns yet to follow that will show a similar result. The Laughlin nail works show large earnings, as also do the various glass concerns. The industries of this region were never in a more prosperous condition.

Matrimony by the Wholesale.

CHICAGO, January 22.—A Bloomington, Ill., special says that George Franklin Faulks was arrested yesterday at Springfield for bigamy. A year ago he married Ida Sairdge, daughter of a widow in Clinton, Ill., and brought her here and deserted her. It has since appeared that Faulks has a wife in Mt. Auburn, one near Champaign, one at Williamsville, one at Winterset, Ia., and it is believed also one at Harrisburg, Pa., where he has been wanted for forgery, arson, etc., for some years. He is 55 years of age and good-looking. He was arrested by the Bloomington police at his father's house in Springfield.

Parnell at Indianapolis.

INDIANAPOLIS, January 22.—Parnell arrived here at 1 p.m. yesterday. He was met at the depot by a committee headed by Governor Williams. During the day he was visited by committees from Peoria, Chicago, Davenport, Springfield, O., and Logansport, Ind. In the evening the grand opera house was crowded with both Irish and American citizens to welcome the great Irish agitator. Parnell spoke about an hour, making a powerful speech. He was followed by Governor Williams and others. A telegram from Governor Hendricks was read, regretting his inability to be present.

Bloody Work With a Razor.

CINCINNATI, January 22.—This morning two prisoners, Patrick Guilford alias Manning, and Edward Connelly, became involved in a quarrel in the hall of the Newport, Ky., jail. In the heat of anger, Connelly drew a razor and made at Guilford, and seized him by the throat. The latter succeeded in wresting the razor from Connelly's hand, and with one desperate slash across the throat almost severed Connelly's head from his body. The jugular vein was completely severed, and death followed instantly. The two prisoners were in jail awaiting trial for minor offenses.

A Wife-Murderer Convicted.

CINCINNATI, January 22.—A special to the Gazette from Troy, Ohio, says that the jury in the Mitchell case, after one hour of deliberation, returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree. Mitchell is a colored man and was on trial for the murder of his wife. The crime was committed more than a year ago. She was found in a lane with her head and hands severed from her body. The defense was insanity.

Mexican Sympathy.

CITY OF MEXICO, January 10.—The government has ordered the celebrated castle of Chapultepec to be refitted for the reception of General Grant and party. The castle is about two miles from the city, overlooking the entire Mexican valley and the City of Mexico. A house is also being prepared in the city to enable the party to alternate between town and country.

Illinois Wheat Crop.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., January 22.—Advance sheets from the crop of the state board of agriculture show that the winter wheat average now sown in Illinois is 2,058,826, or 25 per cent. greater than last year, and considerably larger than the average of any preceding year.

A Foul Murder.

WICHITA, KS., January 22.—This morning George Duncan, living in Ohio township, in this county, was found on the prairie near his home dead, with his throat cut. He lived alone, and but little doubt is entertained of a foul murder.

ALL AROUND US.

Savannah, Griffin, Conyers, Gainesville, Etc.

CONYERS, January 22.—James McKnight, colored, has sued the county for $12,000 damages, caused by his falling through a bridge last August. George S. Thomas, of Atlanta, is leading counsel for the plaintiff.

——Farmers predict a bad year for the wheat crop.

NEWNAN, January 22.—The county court has been in session this week, and brought to town quite a number of country people as jurors and witnesses.——The wife of Hon. P. H. Brewster is dangerously ill. He is off in Douglass county, having left before his wife was taken so dangerous.——The young man who took the cotton and team from our streets the other day and ran off with it was gloriously drunk.

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SAVANNAH, January 22.—The grand lodge of B'nai Brith to-day increased the dues of members forty cents for the benefit of the orphans' fund. A handsome banner was presented to D. H. Stern, representing Moncrieffe lodge, 214, at Charlottesville, Va., that lodge having made the greatest contribution to the orphans' fund. The lodge adjourned to meet at Baltimore, January 20, 1881. Most of the delegates left the city to-night.

GAINESVILLE, January 21.—At the residence of the bride's mother, yesterday, Miss Annie Gaines was married to Mr. W. A. Dunegan. Both the bride and groom live near this place, and are excellent young people.——The prisoners now confined in our jail have made several attempts to gain their escape by planning attacks upon Sheriff Gaines, but all their plans have failed. They took the slats off the bedsteads in one of the cells and used them as "clubs of war." They have also made one attempt to burn through the floor over head with a lamp.

OPELIKA, January 21.—The accident to Mrs. Green S. Johnson happened in this way: She was in her own room surrounded by her children, when one of them took a pistol from the mantel. The pistol went off in the hands of the child, and the ball pierced the left side of the mother, producing, what is thought at this writing, a mortal wound. Mr. Johnson is traveling for a Louisville house, and his whereabouts is not now known. Drs. McCoy and Shepherd were called in to see Mrs. Johnson, but as yet are unable to give an opinion. She is in a stupor, but whether from the shock, or from hemorrhage, the physicians could not determine.

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SAVANNAH, January 22.—After the rain of last night the weather is a little more pleasant. The attendance is fair. There were three races. The first, Bonaventure stakes, for three-year-olds. Starters: Mamie Fields and Lucky Hit—Mamie the favorite at three to one. Mamie Fields won in two straight heats easy. Time 1:43½, 1:46. The second race was a mile dash. Starters: Hattie F., Aaron, Buckshot and Shortfellow—Hattie F. the favorite at twenty to seventeen for Aaron, and the field selling for six and seven. Hattie F. won easily. Time 1:48. The third race was a mile heat. Starters: Vagrant and Hawk—Vagrant the favorite at six to one, and won an easy race. Time 1:48, 1:53.

GRIFFIN, January 22.—Yesterday a countryman came in town, and feeling patriotic over the situation, got on a big drunk. He picked a row with one of the town boys who put a head on him in the shape of a broken nose, a cut forehead and the worst bunged up countenance that ever graced a Griffin pavement. Dr. Anthony gave him a new face of plaster and straightened his unfortunate nose. His friends then placed him in a wagon beside a coffin for a negro woman who had died on his place. Coffin and countryman made quite a suggestive picture. Poor fellow! His nose had been broken once before; one eye had been shot out, besides having had both legs broken and an arm sawed nearly off. He also received six or eight shots during the war—and yet he lives.

MACON, January 22.—The great fair of the Macon Volunteers opens to-night. The company has received contributions not only from the merchants of this city, but from every part of the north and west, aggregating in value about two thousand dollars. The Musician prevails among the Volunteers and their friends. The armory to-day presents a most beautiful appearance, being draped and festooned throughout with the new Georgia colors. This fair is held to raise funds to re-equip the company, and to carry it on a tour through to Virginia next summer. It is thought that $3,500 will be cleared. A full description of the armory and objects contributed, together with the names of contributors, will be given to-morrow.

ALBANY, January 21.—Mr. R. Henderson, the owner of the Hickory-Level place in the Oaky woods section of this county, is seriously ill with an attack of hemorrhagic malarial fever, an unusual disease for this season of the year. He moved here from Rome some two years ago.——The excessive drouth has emptied nearly all the cisterns in Albany, and many people are resorting to the river for water.——Prospects for a rain to-day are good.——H. M. McIntosh editor of the Advertiser, was presented on Monday, his birthday, with a fine silver pitcher and a baby carriage by the employes and proprietors of the paper.——Mr. Whit N. West, a well-to-do and respectable farmer of Lee county, died on Sunday night last on his place about nine miles from Leesburg. He was a good citizen and respected by all who knew him. He was about 28 or 30 years of age.

——Mrs. J. A. Courvoisier, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Wright, of Savannah, are visiting friends in the city.

THE MAINE ROW.

The Treasurer Going to Pay the Fusionists.

AUGUSTA, ME., January 22.—The fusion governor denies that he ever issued an order calling out troops. He declares that the report was a republican invention to throw discredit upon him; that they do not propose to resort to arms, although substantial offers of men and ammunition have been made from out of the state. Representative Frank Hill, of the fusion house, says that State Treasurer Charles A. White will, within forty-eight hours, begin paying money to the fusion members in need of funds. White will not give up the office to anyone, to which he was re-elected by the fusionists, to the republican treasurer, Holbrook, who was elected yesterday. Treasurer White's bondsmen are strong fusionists, and it is said will back him up in paying the fusionists. The commissions of Governor Smith's staff bear the seal of the state.

BOSTON, January 22.—The Herald's Augusta special says the republican state government is still vigilant, keeping guards at the state-house and troops at the armories. The fusion legislature met to-day with unDiminished numbers, but transacted no business of importance. Its members are discussing a proposed removal to Portland or Bridgeford. Fusionist Representative Staples took his seat in the republican house this morning, and says that others will follow his example.

AUGUSTA, January 22.—In the fusion senate to-day, a motion was made to proceed to business. Mr. Atwell opposed the motion saying "Let us go on to the state house legislature or go home." Messrs. Strickland, Ellis and others also opposed proceeding to business. Pending the action, a recess was taken to 4 p.m. Mr. Smith, the fusion governor, told a reporter to-day, that under the present circumstances he shouldn't deem it advisable to go on, but if "We had possession of the state-house, the republicans would not get in without bloodshed."

BOSTON, January 22.—An Augusta special says that the republican authorities at the state house are growing impatient over the unexpected prolongation of the fusionist governor. A message to Governor Davis' council said to-day that the fusionists would not much longer be allowed to play legislature. It is intended to arrest the fusionist secretary, Sawyer, in case he issues any documents purporting to come from the secretary of state. When Governor Smith is ready to deal with the fusionists he will do it resolutely. Republican legislators are talking seriously of taking measures to arrest the whole batch of fusionist officials on the charge of treason.

AUGUSTA, January 22.—The republican judiciary committee reported to the house to-day a bill providing that whoever shall remove from the office of the secretary of state the state seal and the records, or abstract books, accounts, election returns etc., or having them in possession shall refuse to return them, shall be punished by fine and imprisonment. The penalties vary according to the extent of the offense from one year's imprisonment and $500 fine to three year's imprisonment and $5,000 fine. The bill was recommitted to the judiciary committee.

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AUGUSTA, January 22.—The fusionists held a secret caucus this afternoon to discuss the situation. A joint committee of the two houses has been appointed to consider the question of the removal of the legislature to Biddeford or Portland. The mayor of Biddeford arrived this evening and in person offered the protection of the city to the legislature should it assemble there. This assurance has somewhat strengthened the fusionists. It is stated that the questions to be sumitted to the court will be ready to-morrow. The members of the fusion and republican legislatures are beginning to fraternize.

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BOSTON, January 22.—The Herald's special from Augusta, Maine, says: The outlook at midnight is more peaceful than at any time during the latter stage of the great complication. Several fusionists who are entitled to seats in the house or senate are reported on high authority to be on the verge of deserting the Union Hall legislature.

Senator George.

Special dispatch to The Constitution.

JACKSON, MISS., January 22.—The legislature met at noon in joint assembly and voted for United States senator. The following was the result: J. Z George, 127; A. M. West, 14; B. K. Bruce, 5; E. C. Walthall, 1; T. W. Harris, 1. J. Z. George having received the majority of the votes cast was declared elected senator.

Senator Lamar has so far recovered that he is able to appear in the corridors of his hotel on crutches.

Robbed of $20,000.

Special dispatch to The Constitution.

LEAVENWORTH, KS., January 22.—A dispatch to the Leavenworth Times from Fort Reno, says: Major Brownhead, paymaster of the United States army, was robbed of $20,000 while on his way from Fort Leavenworth to Fort Reno. Telegraphic communication with the department has been had but the military authorities are observing secrecy regarding the affair.

A Disastrous Fire.

CHARLESTON, January 22.—Fire broke out early this morning in the car-shed of the South Carolina railroad in this city, destroying twelve passenger coaches and twenty-seven baggage and freight cars, together with the car-shed. The loss is estimated at $30,000. The shed was insured for $5,000.

Lincoln's Walking Stick.]

TROY, N. Y., January 22.—President Lincoln's walking stick, stolen from his box at the theater on the night of the assassination, has been recovered.

THE STRONG MAN

WHO IS SOUGHT BY BOTH PARTIES.

Conkling's Iniquitous Scheme for Carrying New York—The Complications it Will Cause—Thurman and Sanford E. Church Under Patriotic Inspection.

WASHINGTON, January 22.—The friends of Senator Thurman now have strong hopes that he will immediately become prominent again as a candidate for the presidency. This sudden elation arises out of a proposition pending before the New York legislature to change the method of appointing electors for president and vice-president in that state. Many prominent democrats here believe that the republicans will pass this measure, and they admit that if this is done it will take New York out of the list of states which can in any contingency be carried for the democracy. Mr. John G. Thompson, whose relations to Senator Thurman are well known, said to-day that if this new measure should be adopted in New York, it would put an entirely different aspect upon the democratic contest for the nomination. As the democrats, in that event, could not calculate upon the vote of New York, it would be absolutely necessary for them to turn their attention toward securing some other doubtful state whose electoral vote would most nearly supply the loss of New York. He said that all would immediately recognize the fact that Ohio, above all other states, would be the one upon which the democ

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THE library fair in Brown's block will determine whether the popular and useful association that furnishes the people of the city with books and periodicals, is to have a home of its own, and therefore permanence, or not. There is not a property holder or a man of family in the city who can afford to let the fair become pecuniarily a failure. It should not only be a success, but a very great success. Let all attend it.

FULL reports show that 593½ miles of railroad track were laid in this state in 1879, against 67 miles in 1878, none in 1877, 42 miles in 1876, 4 miles in 1875, 5 miles in 1874, 122 miles in 1873, and 46 miles in 1872. The mileage of the past year consisted of 13 miles of narrow gauge between Rockmart and Cedartown, 7½ miles of narrow gauge between Kingsboro and Hamilton, 16 miles of narrow gauge between Bowers and Hartwell, 13 miles of narrow gauge on the Marietta and North Georgia road, and 10 miles of the standard gauge from Wadley to Louisville. The mileage of 1880 in the state will probably exceed 200 miles.

THE contest for the senatorship in Mississippi has ended happily. General J. Z. George will make a good senator, and the state has paid a debt that she could not afford to ignore. To General George she owes her deliverance from the reconstructionists more than to any other man, for it was he who organized the democrats in the final struggle that drove Ames and all his crowd from the state. He was afterwards made chief-justice of the state—a position that he still holds; but he has long had senatorial aspirations. He will be a worthy colleague of Senator Lamar. Senator Bruce, whose seat he takes, will retire in March, 1881.

THE Albany correspondent of the New York Tribune recently interviewed the republican members of the New York legislature in order to ascertain each man's choice among the candidates for the presidency. Grant leads all the rest largely. In the senate 11 Grant men were found, 1 who favors "Grant or Blaine," and 1 Sherman. The balance were non-committal. In the house only 3 Sherman men were found, against 35 outspoken advocates of Grant's nomination. These figures are—greatly to the discomfort of the Tribune—proof positive that Conkling can have the state delegation pledged to Grant, and no one doubts that he will do so if he can.

YEARS and years ago, before the national debt was considered a national blessing, the government found itself in possession of some twenty-eight millions of dollars that it did not need. A dividend was therefore declared, but the twenty-six beneficiary states of that day were charged with the sums they received, and those sums have been carried on the treasury books ever since. As no one expects the twenty-six states to repay the money, and as the twenty-six states are able to-day to prevent any such demand, and as the government is not suffering for money and is not likely to do so, we cannot see any sense in keeping the entries in question any longer on the treasury books. Let the items be expunged.

THE democrats of Louisiana selected the right man when they decided to put General Gibson in Kellogg's seat in March, 1883. He is conservative and pratical; is a forcible speaker, a parliamentarian of long experience, a patient worker, well educated, and possessing a thorough knowledge of affairs. He will, in a word, make an excellent senator from the outset of his term. He is a native of Kentucky, where he was born in 1832. He served in the armies of the confederacy, rising through the different grades to the command of a division. After the war he resumed the practice of law in New Orleans, and became largely interested in planting. He was elected to the forty-third congress, but was denied admission. Beginning with the forty-fourth congress he has served continually in the house, winning there a high reputation, and commanding the attention of that body at will.

The Normal School Location.

We elsewhere present a report of a meeting of the citizens of Atlanta, held yesterday, to make a proposition in writing to the commissioners of the Peabody fund relative to a permanent location of the new normal school. This is an important matter—one that should be well considered by the people of this city. The competition for this school will be very active in all parts of the state, and liberal subscriptions will be made up to secure the prize. We believe it should be located in Atlanta. We believe it is very greatly to Atlanta's interest to have it so located; but some other town will certainly secure the valuable college unless council and the citizens generally of this city give the subject prompt and serious attention. We are glad to be able to state that Atlanta has two citizens in Mr. Peters and Mr. Rawson who show by their liberal offers that they appreciate the importance of securing the location of the school. There are not two more sagacious men in the city; and if the institution becomes a part of our educational facilities, we will doubtless be indebted to their liberality. Action is needed in this matter, and we hope every citizen will read the report of yesterday's meeting with a view to helping the city to gather in a college that may prove to be the nucleus of other institutions of similar character and value.

The Clement Attachment.

As THE CONSTITUTION was the first journal in the country to call the attention of the public to the importance of the invention known as the Clement attachment it seems proper to occasionally recur to a subject about which so much has been written in these columns. We present elsewhere a pictorial representation of the attachment which gives a fair idea of the astonishing simplicity of the machine—a simplicity which misled manufacturers who are accustomed to complicated machinery, and which has caused superficial observers to underrate the importance of the relations that must exist between the attachment and small farming communities in all sections of the south. One prominent manufacturer dismisses the machine with the remark that it will never be used in large factories. This fact is really the chief recommendation of the machine. It recommends itself chiefly to cotton-growing neighborhoods, and is the basis of ultimate co-operation between the cotton-planting interests of the south, great and small. Capital cannot monopolize it. Its cheapness, apparent clumsiness and wonderful simplicity recommend it, not to manufacturers, but to the cotton planters themselves, who are desirous of pocketing the enormous profits that exist between the cotton in the seed and the cotton in the shape of yarn. One of the attachments has recently been set up at Corinth, Mississippi, and is in successful operation, and during the present year hundreds will go into operation in all parts of the south. It is only a question of time. Those who are doubtful as to the utility of the invention need only wait until an attachment is in successful operation somewhere in their neighborhood where they will have time to examine its methods and witness its success.

The Tools of Providence.

The Springfield Republican, commenting upon the fact that the exodus fever is gradually spreading all over the south, nips our hopes in the bud by remarking that there is small chance, after all, that the movement will ever take off more than the floating population. While even this would be in some respects a boon to the south, we are inclined to believe that the exodus is about to go beyond the designs of its instigators, and we are of the opinion that the coming spring and summer will put northern charity to a severe test. While we know that the real interests of the negro lie in the south, we also know his peculiarities of temperament; and we know, moreover, that as long as northern benevolence provides a fund for those who leave their homes, the stream of negro emigrants from the south will steadily increase until nearly the entire colored population has made the experiment. Awhile ago, we made a sincere effort to advise the negroes against this new folly, but we are convinced (not taking into consideration the welfare of the colored people, or the merely temporary interests of the southern farmers) that the movement is not only calculated to subserve the best interests of the south, but will solve a very serious and perplexing problem by removing the negro wholly from the arena of sectional politics. Both these results are to be devoutly prayed for; nevertheless we shall make no effort to promote the exodus. On the other hand, we shall not attempt to stay the tide. It will open up the finest agricultural region under the sun to all the possibilities that await the advent of a thriftier class of farmers, and it will remove the colored man forever from politics. He may decide political issues, indeed, but he will no longer be an issue himself. A new era will dawn upon the south. If the result we anticipate is finally brought about we shall not complain because providence selected as its most fitting tools the unscrupulous politicians who inaugurated the colored exodus.

An Opportunity for Democrats.

We have insisted, and we shall continue to insist, that the democratic leaders in congress make the question of tariff revision a well-defined issue of party policy. It is a policy which would commend itself to the great body of the people in every part of the country, and would even commend itself to honest protectionists—those who are in favor of protecting special industries instead of building up a system of monopolies. Upon such an issue, the people and honest men everywhere would be arrayed, not against the theory of protection, nor against any healthy industry, but against the abuses of the system and against the outrageous monopolies which these abuses have built up. Take the blood tax on quinine, for instance. No honest protectionist can be found who will defend that outrage. The New York Tribune, the leading protection organ, advocated the repeal of the duty. And yet, this is only one example out of hundreds of items that might be subjected to revision or be repealed altogether. Take also the enormous duty on steel rails. That is directly a tax upon the railroads, but eventually it comes out of the pockets of the people who travel or who have freights that must be transported. Whether the railroads buy their rails at home or abroad, this tax must be paid, for while the demand continues, and while the home monopoly is unable to supply that demand, the price of English rails, duty paid, will be precisely that of American rails. A tax of $28 a ton is not protection, and no genuine protectionist can defend it. It is a tax upon the people in the interest of a monopoly.

We would have the democrats in congress make a tariff revision in detail the policy of the party, and we would have this revision proceed, not in opposition to the theory of protection, nor in favor of the doctrine of free trade, but in the interests of the great mass of the people, the producers and the consumers, and in opposition to monopoly. This is a most vital matter—one which will carry any party to victory, but it is to be feared that the democrats will hesitate and dally until it is too late to make tariff revision the policy of the party.

The Points at Issue.

With respect to what has been or may be said about the unconstitutionality of the legal tender act by those who are disposed to defend and applaud the Sherman-Bayard proposition, it is sufficient to say that if the experiment were an untried one—if it were proposed now, for the first time in the history of the government, to issue a legal tender paper currency—a controversy upon the points involved in the construction of the constitution would be timely and appropriate; and in such a controversy, with no light of experience to guide us, we should insist upon a strict construction of the organic law. Conservatism could do no less. But there is no such question before the people. A legal tender paper currency is not an experiment. It is a success. It has stood the severest tests that can be applied to a paper currency. It has survived a fierce war and a prolonged panic. It has served the people when gold and silver were unattainable, and has protected them against some of the most direful results of business depression. How has it done this? Not because it was redeemable in coin, because it was not so redeemable, but simply and solely because of its legal tender quality. John Sherman and Mr. Bayard say that this quality is without value, and yet for nearly eighteen years it has been the only value possessed by the currency of the people. The poorest man could pay his debts with the greenback whether there was an ounce of gold in the country; and when there was no more war, its value as a debt-paying currency steadily increased. The people had faith that the government would stand by its pledge made at a time when they were forced to loan it money. That pledge was that the promissory notes given to the people in return for the money forcibly borrowed from them should be a legal tender with which they could pay their public and private debts. Now our position is that the question whether the legal tender act was technically, theoretically or really unconstitutional has no proper bearing upon the controvery. It is sufficient to know that the people have not been wronged, and that their interests have not been made to suffer. It is sufficient to know that no good purpose would be served by stripping the paper currency of the country of its legal tender quality; that it would shock our financial system, and place it in the power of the eastern banks to force a suspension of specie payments. As for Mr. Bayard, he knows very well that his resolution will not be adopted, but he will inflict a speech upon the readers of the Congressional Record and strengthen his eastern interests. The whole affair smacks so strongly of the arts and purposes of the demagogue, that it is almost impossible to discuss the subject without doing unintentional injustice to the motives of a clever, but very narrow-minded man.

CHANDLER hopes to regain the confidence of the New Hampshire republicans by tempting the democrats to allude to him as Exodus Bill.

THE New York Tribune prints an appreciative sketch of Manager John T. Ford, of Baltimore. It may be said that Mr. Ford has compelled recognition in the metropolis. In the south he has long been known as the ablest and most enterprising theatrical manager in the country. This entire section depends upon him to furnish the most of its amusements, and nearly all that is first-class.

BLAINE'S sentimental spasms have gone into winter quarters.

THE New York Times has a headline "Maine in Rightful Hands." Typographical errors will occur in the best regulated establishments. The line should read: "Maine in Right Full Hands." They do say the republican guardians of the state kept the mouth of the demijohn hot while the controversy was pending.

AN Ohio paper says Bancroft is not the father of any children, but that he has two grandchildren. An Ohio man always computes results without regard to cause. This is one of the misfortunes of Buckeye politics.

CHASTINE COX thinks if he could get out now he would have an opportunity of getting into good society.

SENATOR GORMAN, of Maryland, used to be a page in the body in which he now holds his seat. If, after living honestly and virtuously until he becomes matured in goodness, a man is no better than a congressman, we may well inquire with the amiable Mr. Mallock whether life is worth living.

THE Maine fusionists continue to fuse and refuse.

COLONEL COLE was not only the victim of the blackest kind of ingratitude, but of bad faith—and bad faith of a sort that the worst elements of society would scorn to practice. The colonel will doubtless learn that to make a parcel of railroad men rich doesn't improve their moral tone to any great degree. There can never be any such thing as confidence until a healthy public sentiment makes business immorality odious.

THE men who were indefinitely bribed in Maine are very indefinite about the matter. The probabilities are that they have been seen again. Some men are easily seen.

STEVENSON, the man who is said to have sold Colonel Cole out, is getting quite a boom. The esteemed Courier-Journal says it is not the first time Stevenson has gone back on a friend. We are firmly of the opinion that it is Stevenson, and not Colonel Cole, who is to be pitied. The world is wide and public opinion is lax, but the stigma of having acted in bad faith is a very large load for one man or any set of men to carry.

BLAINE'S substitute was spoiling for a fight.

LITTLE wrecker Chittenden, of New York, is still whooping and yelling about the currency. The country will never have any real and lasting peace until Chit is taken out and bored for the hollow horn.

COLONEL DELANCY KANE, the eminent New York hostler, led the German at a fashionable metropolitan sociable the other day. Why is not Colonel Kane tooting his Tally-ho, in order that the daily journals may have something to write leading editorials about?

IF Blaine becomes too popular among the republicans, John Sherman can claim that his little Jenks did the business.

THE Philadelphia Times wants new associated press agents in Maine. The news was somewhat warped along at first, and this fact caused many devout democrats to put their feet in it by abusing Garcelon.

IN GENERAL.

—Senator Thurman is suffering from neuralgia.

—Garibaldi is divorced and free. Hi! Steboy! Mollie Oliver.

—There was no fighting and Mr. Blaine's substitute is out of a job.

—Zero has showed his head in Michigan but once this year.—Detroit Free Press.

—"Pinafore" has reached the 500th performance in London.

—A Zulu princess, Amasulu, has arrived in London with her suite.

—The Buffalo Express calls Josh Billings the "philosophical annihilator of orthography."

—New York's valuation is $946,536,650, being an increase in one year of more than $28,300,000.

—The New York Commercial Advertiser notices that the homeliest man always gets the prettiest wife.

—Mr. Cavendish-Bentinck, prospective duke of Portland, who is now in New York, is the fiancee of Miss Livingstone, of that city.

—Mr. J. H. Haverly is reported as having secured Sara Bernhardt for $100,000 for 100 performances. She will probably open the next season at the Fifth Avenue theater.

—George Augustus Sala's letters are appearing in the London Telegraph under the head of "America Revisited," and are exciting a great deal of interest.

—Charles O'Conor, according to good democratic authority, is a "wretched old petrified political pessimist." And this without any reference to Mrs. Hicks-Lord.—Buffalo Express.

—Senator Wade Hampton has never fully recovered his health since his shooting accident, and his bodily ills are further intensified by the despondency caused by the death of his son.

—New York Mail:

A young man has come who a yarn'll
Repeat about Irish needs carnal
It sounds just as well
To call him Parnell,
But the right way to name him is Parnell.

—The Cincinnati Commercial says the expression "Uneasy lies the head that wears a crown" is absurd, because no sensible king ever goes to bed with his crown on. He always hangs it on the back of a chair with his vest.

—Down in Maine there is no bloodshed, but several republicans have used old hoes to clear the snow from their path, rather than "oblige" democrats by borrowing snow-shovels from them. Revenge is sweet and glorious!

—A new and very effective way for protecting one's self against draughts has been devised for the benefit of Lord Cairns, lord chancellor of England. He is sheltered from air by a threefold plate glass screen, a novel device in which a special virtue is said to lie.

—If you have the blues, or are out of employment, and wish something to relieve the monotony in the shape of newspaper notoriety just take off your hat and coat and lay them on the river bank for a few days; then secrete yourself and watch the papers closely.—Indianapolis Herald.

No longer by the river
We wander as of yore,
To listen to the surging
Of the ripples on the shore.
Gone are those days of gladness,
Of pleasure and of peace—
She's been and gone and married
A sergeant of police.

—The death is announced, from Athens, of Emmanuel Kukkinos, the most eminent of Greek jurisconsults, and the holder of the chair of jurisprudence in the university of Athens. It was Mr. Kokkinos who was lately deputed to visit France for the purpose of conferring upon Gambetta the diploma of honorary member of the academy of Greece.

—For real spite give us a woman, and the more beautiful the more spiteful. What envy, hatred and malice exists with regard to Mrs. Langtry! She brought into fashion the fur cape. A rival beauty, who had not brought into fashion anything, immediately clad her coachman in one, and now we see flunkeys of all sorts wearing the famous "Langtry cape."—London (England) Sporting Times.

—John McCullough has had great and steady prosperity this season—having already earned over $20,000, as his own share, clear of expenses. Yet we read in print that "our tragedians received less favorable support than in former years." Nonsense! The best actors were never so well paid as they are now, in this country, and they never received so much attention as they do now, from all classes of the people.

—General Roberts has been revising the fortifications, and generally extending his position. Two high hills on the west of the city are being crowned by strong block houses, which will partly command the neighboring defile. Communications between Shirpur and Pala Hissar will be secured by the erection of first-rate posts on the Siah Sang hills. The river will be bridged between Siah Sang and Shirpur. All the walls within a thousand yards of Shirpur are being leveled and roads are making in all directions.

—Charles O'Conor is but 76 years of age, and highly susceptible to the charms of the gentle sex, there is nothing improbable in the report of his marital engagement with Mrs. Hicks-Lord. Happily, there are no impertinent youngsters to endeavor to procure a writ de inquirendo lunatico because the venerable gentleman may have resolved on so praiseworthy a course. Mr. O'Conor may take gloomy views of the future of the republic, and presage woe to the democracy, but the proper inference from the interesting report of his proposed marriage is that his heart is in the right place.

—Our friend, Mr. F., has a youngster in his employ who is destined to be one of the bright and shining lights among the coming men if his brilliant prospects do not end in smoke. The other day his employer detected the fumes of a fragrant Havana proceeding from the room where the boy was in the habit of eating his dinner. Upon investigating the matter he found our hero—if the subject warrants the appellation—seated upon a barrel, complacently smoking the remains of what was evidently a "twenty-five center." "How's this," says Mr. F., "aren't you rather extravagant in your tastes, young man?" "Oh, no, sir!" says young hopeful, not at all disconcerted, adding, in a confidential and impressive manner: "I tell you what it is, Mr. F.; I've got the best butt route in Boston. It takes in the Parker house, and the whole of court square!"—Boston Journal of Commerce.

—Archbishop Purcell is failing rapidly under the weight of years and the great calamity which has overtaken his diocese He has given up all attempts to administer the affairs of the church, and is in retirement at the convent in Brown county. According to recent reports he has grown so feeble that he has to be helped from one room to another. No special disease is afflicting him, but there has recently been a very perceptible loss of strength, and grave fears are entertained that he will not be able to recover it. His grace is in his eighty-first year. The financial troubles of the past year would have broken down many men in the prime of life. The venerable prelate has the matter constantly on his mind, and with the disappointment at not having been relieved months ago by a coadjutor of the great responsibilities of his office, there comes now a prospect of a forced sale of the churches of the diocese, which it has been the work of his lifetime to build.—Cincinnati Commercial.

—John McCullough gives an entertaining account of his first leanings toward the drama. It was in a Philadelphia shop—as related in the News of that city—that the boy John began his working life as an apprentice in chairmaking. In the same shop was an intelligent old mechanic named Burke, whose busy life had been brightened by much hard reading, who was continually reciting Shakespeare, greatly to the boy's delight. Burke's favorite amusement, when slightly enlivened by the wine cup, was to order young McCullough with a paint brush, and then recite with exceeding great effect over him, Marc Antony's speech over the dead Cæsar. "I became perfectly enraptured with the man," says the actor, "and made such a patient, accomodating corpse for him that he finally made me a present of a copy of Shakespeare. From that day the doom of the chairmaking business so far as I was concerned, was sealed forever."

Leviathan Monopolies.

New York Star.

The most potent and insidious element of danger to the general interests of the public, to day, is the rapid growth of monopoly.

Capital, controlled by a few men, has of late years developed an ambition to reign supreme in the domain of certain great industries, and is steadily and stealthily pushing its schemes to a triumphant consummation.

If the American people are to escape the domination of a corrupt and selfish oligarchy of money-eyed men in state and federal government, they must arouse themselves to the necessity of taking measures to resist such aggression.

It is worthy of note that at this very moment two mighty departments of enterprise are on the eve of falling into the hands of as ruthless and arbitrary a set of speculators as ever plundered a community, under the false pretense of increasing its facilities and adding to its comforts.

The Louisville and Nashville railroad company has just completed a negotiation which virtually places the entire railroad system of the southern states at the mercy of its managers, while the Western Union telegraph monopoly is successfully using its vast resources to crush out the opposition of the American Union.

Such facts have a momentous significance. They point inevitably to the conclusion that a telegraph ring on the one hand is to control all the lines of telegraphic communication in the country, while a railroad ring, on the other hand, is to become the absolute possessor of our vast system of rail transportation, state, inter-state and trans-continental.

Since Gould and Vanderbilt have united their forces, and low rule with sovereign sway from the Atlantic to the Pacific, what more natural than that they should complete the circuit of their conquests, and by making an alliance with the Louisville junta extend their empire to the gulf of Mexico?

Nay, more, what is to prevent the Leviathan of railroads from joining its fortunes with those of the Leviathan of telegraphs, and by the omnipotent spells of a consolidated capital, such as the world has never before seen, command the services of courts, legislatures, governor and presidents.

These are not idle possibilities. The events of each successive day draw us nearer and nearer to their realization.

And the old question comes up again: What are the people going to do about it?

Blood Upon the South.

Rutland Herald, Vermont radical organ.

The Yankee burns slow, but he has been beating up all these years of wrong, cruelty and perfidy, and, unless we are greatly mistaken, the people of the north are well-nigh the boiling point of impatience concerning the south; if she won't live under law, then let her die under law; we are all sick of her loathsome shape; her hands dripping with the blood of the feeble and the ignorant, her every-day life a tale of political murder and fraud; the olive branch has been stretched in vain year after year; her poverty and sickness have been the signal for lavish generosity on our part; she grasps the olive branch only long enough to divert our attention and then tries to beat our brains out with a bludgeon; it accepts everything; it renders back no sign of reconciliation or obedience to law, and the north in sheer despair says, give us once more a republican congress to make our laws operative, and a man like Grant to do his plain duty, instead of quibbling how he can dodge it, and we will yet have either some respite from the reign of terror at the south or a desert; the south had better be as barren as Labrador than as hellish as equatorial Africa. If the south is not ready to let up on political assassination, terrorism and fraud they will be compelled to arrest before those who are willing to maintain a republican form of government instead of the despotism dubbed a democracy by this gambler and horse-jockey civilization that loafs and adopts straw, calling it politics, over corn whisky all day, and then turns its drunken energies to shooting and cheating the only creature that will work, viz., the "cursed nigger."

The Simmons Business.

Rome Courier.

Simmons's letter will prove a Simmons's regulator to many clever democrats. It will set 'em all right.

Cartersville Free Press.

As to our opinion in regard to the appointment of Mr. Simmons, how it came about, or why it was made, we can come to no definite conclusion until we know all the facts. We don't propose to go off at a tangent nor tear our shirt about it just now.

Savannah News.

No wonder that after deciphering Simmons's able letter the good Mr. Hayes was constrained to appoint him to an important office, and thus enable him to "gain the considerable victory over those corrupt secession traitors" which he so much coveted. If, indeed, after reading Parson Simmons's letter, Mr. Hayes had any doubts of his fitness for the position, they must have been entirely removed by the confidential assurance from his friend, Parson Felton, that Brother Simmons was "a Methodist preacher of splendid character," "one of the best men in the second congressional district," and that if he appointed him he would not regret it. This hearty indorsement by Rev. Mr. Felton of an "independent conservative," who in this day characterizes his democratic fellow-citizens of Georgia as "corrupt secession traitors," will perhaps have the effect to enlighten the minds of his democratic supporters in the seventh congressional district, and enable them to comprehend the wide distinction that exists between true democracy and "independent conservatism."

The Very Latest Presidential Gossip.

Washington dispatch to the Philadelphia Record.

The very latest development, however, in the way of democratic presidential candidates, is the rumor which comes from New York that Mr. Hugh J. Jewett, president of the Erie railroad, has been taken up by Clarkson N. Potter and other intimate friends of Mr. Tilden, and is being talked up as a man selected by Mr. Tilden and Mr. Kelly to unite the democratic party in New York and poll the biggest vote in that state. There is no question whatever that Mr. Jewett will make a strong candidate in New York. He is personally very popular, is an old-fashioned Jackson democrat, is very wealthy, and last, but not least, has an immense deal of influence by means of his prominent position as a railroad man. Meanwhile Senator Bayard is the choice of more influential democrats than anybody else, and is the second choice of pretty much everybody. The feeling in favor of his nomination is surely crystalizing, and if he gets a good start in the convention there will be no defeating his nomination.

A Geographical Daisy.

Evansville Courier.

H. J. Jewett is mildly talked about as a democratic candidate for the presidency, and seems to have certain unapproachable excellences in a geographical way, as thus: He was born in Maryland, is a heavy taxpayer in Ohio, is engaged actively in business in new York, is residing temporarily in Jersey, and has large interests in Kansas. Geographically, he's a daisy.

News From Ohio.

Cleveland Herald.

The discovery was made down in Atlanta the other day that a soap factory of that place was turning out an excellent article of that useful detergent. Now the people didn't like the idea of cleaning their hands with the remains of their ancestors. The soap men had been stealing bodies out of graveyards and converting them into soap.

The Plot Thickens.

Baltimore Gazette.

The plot thickens to steal the electoral vote of New York for the republican candidate. That the stalwart managers intend to do it, is a question which no longer admits of a reasonable doubt. The only question is, How are the democrats to defeat the conspiracy?

Governor Hendricks's Suggestion.

Special dispatch to the Cincinnati Gazette.

INDIANAPOLIS, January 20.—The News this evening says that a wicked republican suggests that it was under the advice of ex-Governor Hendricks that the fusion legislature in Maine met on the fence in Augusta.

Good Advice for Congressmen.

Sparta Ishmaelite.

We suggest to the wise men in Washington to let the currency alone, and put their little legislative hatchets to work at the roots of the tariff evil. We are ready have honest money; give us an honest tariff.

One Troublesome Count Left.

St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Notwithstanding the decease of Count Joannes, there is still one count left likely to trouble the American people. We allude to the presidential count.

He Should Have Taken it Along.

Washington Post.

If General Grant had taken his boom with him towards the equator it might have escaped the chill that threatens the entire extinction of vitality.

Liable to Contest.

Cincinnati Commercial.

If Samuel Jones Tilden bequeaths his interest in the democratic party to S. J. Randall, it is evident that the bequest will be contested.

Another Still Hunt.

LaCrosse Democrat.

There is a painful silence on the part of the Sherman boomers that bodes no good to somebody.

Tired Out.

[Can any one tell who is the author of these delicate and tender lines?]

He does well who does his best;
Is he weary? let him rest.
Brothers! I have done my best,
I am weary—let me rest.
After toiling oft in vain,
Baffled, yet to struggle fain;
After toiling long, to gain
Little good with mickle pain,
Let me rest. But lay me low,
Where the hedge-side roses blow;
Where the lilt of daisies grow,
Where the winds a-maying go;
Where the footpath rustics plod,
Where the breeze-bowed poplars nod;
Where the old woods worship God,
Where His pencil paints the sod;
Where the wedded throstle sings,
Where the young bird tries his wings;
Where the walling plover swings,
Near the runlet's rushing springs!
Where, at times, the tempest roar,
Shaking distant sea and shore,
Still will rave old Barnesdale o'er,
To be heard by me no more!
There, beneath the breezy west,
Tired and thankful, let me rest.
Like a child that sleepeth best
On its mother's gentle breast.

HYMENEAL.

BARNES—BROWN—Married, at the residence of Mr. R. J. Griffin, on Thursday afternoon, 22d instant, by the Rev. General Evans, Mr. James Barnes, of Chattanooga, Tennessee, to Miss Gussie Brown, of Atlanta, Georgia.

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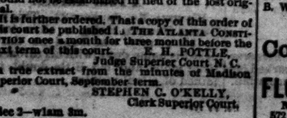

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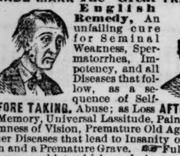

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BOUNDABOUT IN GEORGIA.

—The bar-rooms in Elberton have closed.

—The colored people of Thomasville are pining for a brass band.

—Thomasville is laying the corner stone of a new guano depot.

—Rev. James N. Correy, of Gwinnett county, is dead.

—A religious revival is progressing in Covington.

—The Covington Enterprise nominates General James P. Simms for congress in the sixth district.

—R. R. Wright, editor of the Cuthbert Journal of Progress, paid us a call yesterday.

—The dwelling house of Alderman L. H. Montmollin, of Savannah, was destroyed by fire Wednesday morning, together with all its contents.

—Mr. Henry M. McIntosh, editor of the Albany Advertiser, celebrated his birthday recently by giving a dinner to his friends. The proprietors of the Advertiser took advantage of the occasion to present an elegant carriage to young McIntosh, and the employes of the paper contributed a massive silver watercooler.

—The Elberton Gazette says that Little J rs is visiting several towns in Georgia and Carolina with a view to settling down to business. The truth is Jeems has been visiting Atlanta, and the probabilities are that he will take up his abode here. Sanders was for Atlanta at a time when we all thought she needed friends mighty bad, and he did some hard work to keep the capital here.

—The Thomasville Enterprise says the Southwest Georgia industrial association proposes to hol a big fair on the 19th and 20th day of Ma. They propose to have a grand military contest and several other interesting feates. They also propose, if possible, to make arrangements with our fair association and the Americus association to have no fairs in the spring, in consideration that the Albany fair association will hold no fall fair.

—A correspondent of the Marietta Journal says that r. Foster, of Dallas, has been conferring with the manufacturers of the Clement attachment and machinery to run the same, and nds that it costs about two thousand dolls more than the papers have represented it besides having to pay one hundred and fty dollars for the right to run it. If this the case the manufacturers will discov that it is not by any means to their interes to misrepresent facts to the newspapers. hey are short-sighted indeed.

—A Powder Springs correspondent of the Marietta Journal says that at the railroad meeting held here last Saturday, the possibility of the Georgia Western coming through that place was thoroughly discussed. The meeting was presided over by William Florence, and there seemed a perfect unity of feling of the citizens to give the right of wy and take stock, every man in proportion to his means. A committee of five was apointed to go to Atlanta and confer with te authorities of the Georgia Western in reference to the route through this place, which is the direct one from Atlanta to Destur. The towns that are in nearly a direct line being Powder Springs, Dallas, Cedarown and Gadsden.

—Seaport ppeal: There isn't a word of truth in Ton Blodgett's statement that he had been appointed to the collectorship of this port. he gay and festive youth is a little reckless in this, as in representing himself as Sherman's accredited agent in southern Georgia to work up the boom with the colored people. Colonel Collins is serene, but Bedgett had better look out for his scalp. He's a little too fast, and his nocturnal hrangues to negro gatherings in the interest of Mr. Sherman will be tolerated neither by the secretary nor the good people of Camden county.

—Gwinnett Herald: On last Sunday Mr. McKinney, son of Charles McKinney, of this county, was stabbed by a negro boy who had been in his employ. The negro came to his house on Sunday and demanded his pay. Mr. McKinney informed him that he had paid his father. After some words he was ordered to leave, and as soon as he got an opportunity he struck at McKinney with a knife which entered his back just below the shoulder, making a painful wund. It would probably have been more serious but McKinney seeing the knife attempted to ward it off. The negro immediately left and is still at large.

—Americus Republican: We are indebted to the reliable gentleman for the following: Of the truth of which we have no doubt. One of the women of the tribe got possessed of the fact that a negress, who had called at the camp owned a silver spoon, and the gypsie told her that she must bring it to her, a at it would be well for her to do it. fore didn't a spell would be put on her, n th she would see no more peace; that h hand would quit bean and her wife friends would discard her; that she wou d also lose her appetite, grow haggard and ugly, losing all her feminine nature and attractions. This spell matter got her, and she went back home and got the spoon and delivered it. Wonder who owned the balance of the set?

—Item in Irwinton Southerner and Appeal: Three strangers came here about a week ago and stopped at one of the private boarding houses. It is very evident that they saw the curiosity of a good many people was considerably excited to know who they were and what their business was. Various surmises have been made; some think they are duelists; others say they are men who handle small pictured pastebeards for a living. Some one asked them what their business was, and they replied that they would tell before leaving. Doubtless they believe in the old adage, that a great many people have made fortunes by attending to their own business. They are still here, and have paid their board in advance.

—Rome Courier: A paragraph taken from some other paper recently reprinted in the Courier in regard to a machine used years ago in the south for making yarn from seed cotton, recalled to the recollection of Mrs. Colonel J. R. Towers a machine which her father had made in 1833 in Anderson District, S.C. With this machine thread was spun of any size wanted by hand power, the seed cotton being fed on an endless web of cloth, after the fashion of platform of the present railroad threshers. The seed cotton was distributed regularly across this web as it moved in front of the gin to which the spindles were attached. Mrs. Towers remembers having seen it used in 1836, and about that time one of her sisters made seven hundred yards of the cotton in one year, doing the spinning on this machine. It was made by a negro man owned by heruncle, and the negro had learned the secret while working somewhere in Tennessee. Mrs. Towers used this spinning machine until her marriage. It was kept in use up to and during the war, and is still in the family as a household relic.

—Gwinnett Herald: The impression has got abroad that there is a hitch in our railroad and some doubt about its being completed. We understand it is currently reported that the work is suspended. It affords a pleasure to state that all these rumors are unfounded. It is true the work has not progressed as rapidly as was desired but there has been no disposition among the authorities of the company to suspend operations. It is a settled fact that the work will be pushed forward to completion, and that no obstacle will be permitted to defeat the enterprise. Our people are just beginning to feel the effect of their road, and every day from now until it is completed will but demonstrate its great importance to our community. All that is necessary is for the stockholders to stand squarely up to the board of directors and pay up their instalments promptly, and the work will progress until it is completed. A proposition has recently been made by a party who has charge of convicts to put one hundred and twenty five men upon the work at once, and if the difficulty in getting free labor continues, some arrangement of this kind will probably be effected. We have gone too far with the enterprise to think about failing, and we cannot afford to fail. Whether the work is completed exactly to time or not, there will be ample time after the first of June to finish any uncompleted part, but the contractors say "there shall be no failure."

A Brilliant Wedding.

Wednesday evening there occurred in Dalton one of the happiest marriages we have ever had the pleasure of noticing in these columns. We refer to the nuptials of Mr. John L. Trimble, of Dalton, formerly of Atlanta, and Miss Mary E. Norris, one of the reigning belles of north Georgia. The ceremony was performed in the Methodist church, which was filled to overflowing before the appointed hour. The residence of the bride's father is just opposite the church. A line of carpeting was laid from the church to the gate of the residence for the bridal party to pass over. At 5 o'clock promptly, the organ pealed forth, under the artistic touch of Professor Schoellier one of the grand wedding marches. The procession then entered in the following order:

Ushers—Messrs. Daniel Bukofzer, W. M. Lewis, of Dalton; B. B. Crew and Eugene Bruckner, of Atlanta.

Attendants—Mr. W. T. Morris and Miss Florence Heron; Mr. George L. Morris and Miss Lillie Beall, of Atlanta; Mr. J. D. Williamson and Miss Lillie McOwen, of Atlanta; Mr. C. L. Mangum, of Atlanta, and Miss Dollie Lewis.

Mr. McGhee performed the rite beautifully and the entire congregation was impressed with it. An elegant supper was served at the residence of the bride's father. Mr. Trimble and his wife left at 7 o'clock for the north, where they will enjoy a few weeks stay. Miss Morris was very well known in Atlanta and Mr. Trimble was for a long time one of the leading young business men of the city. From this city many good wishes were sent to the happy pair.

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BONDS, STOCKS AND MONEY.

CONSTITUTION OFFICE,
Atlanta, January 22, 1880.

We quote the market as follows:

EXCHANGE—
Buying at.....par | Selling.....¼ prem.

BONDS—
Georgia 4s.....95@ 97
Georgia 6s.....106@108
Georgia 7s.....110@112
Ga. 7s gold.....111@113
Georgia 8s.....114@115
So. Car. valid 6s 75@ 80
Western R. R. of Ala. 1st m'tge..110@112
Western R. R. of Ala. 2d m'tge endorsed by Ga & Cent. R. R.....110@112
Mot & W P R R 1st mortgage....100@102
Atlanta 6s.....98@100

STOCKS—
Georgia R.R.....94@ 96
Atlanta & A.....75@ 80
A. & W. P.R. R.....110@112
Atlanta W't'r 7s.....105@107
Atlanta City 7s.....105@107
Atlanta City 8s.....110@112
Atlanta 10s.....114@116
Augusta City 7s.....104@106
Sav. City 5s, new 77@ 83
Macon City.....80@ 82
Columbus City.....72@ 75
Ga. R. R. 7s.....103@106
Ga. R. R. 6s.....99@101
Central R. R. 7s.....107@109
W. & A. R.R. Leases; 10 per cent income bonds..101@103

South Wes R.R.....103@105
Atlanta Str't RR.....98@100

We quote long dates; short dates are lower.

By Telegraph.

NEW YORK, January 22.—Noon—Stocks irregular. Money 5@6. Exchange—long 84.82½; short $4.84. Governments dull. State Bonds neglected.

NEW YORK, January 22.—Evening.—Money 6@4. Exchange $4.81¾. Governments firm; new fives 103½; four and a half per cents 107½; four per cents 104½. State Bonds neglected.

Stocks closed fairly active.

N. Y. Central	133	Chicago & N.W.	90¼
Erie	42⅝	Preferred	103¼
Lake Shore	107½	Rock Island	126
Illinois Central	101	Western Union	102
Pittsburg	111¾		

Sub-treasury balances:
Coin.....$101,450,000 Currency.....$6,766,062

LONDON, January 22—noon—Consols 98 7-16. Specie increase £280,000.

PARIS, January 22—1:00 p.m.—Rentes 81f. 87½c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

CONSTITUTION OFFICE,
Atlanta, January 22, 1880.

The New York cotton market opened steady at prices varying but little with the closing quotations of yesterday. During the day the months were irregular and the general undertone indicated weakness. At the close futures were a shade lower, but quoted irregular and firm. The excitement continues with unabated interest, and transactions were heavier than for some days, sales amounting to 185,000 bales. Spots declined ⅛c. making at the close 12½c. Net receipts for five days amount to 132,093 bales; exports 71,894 bales; stock 912,548 bales.

Liverpool closed dull with sales of 10,000 bales, of which 8,100 were American.

The local cotton market continues without change. The exchange reports future transactions active. The spot market is dull at quotations: Good middlings 12¼c; middlings 11¾@12c; low middlings 11¾c; good ordinary 10½@11c. Receipts to-day 570 bales, of which 186 bales were received from wagons.

The following is our statement of receipts and shipments for to-day:

RECEIPTS.

By wagon	186
Air Line Railroad	82
Georgia Railroad	106
Central Railroad	1
Western and Atlantic Railroad	71
West Point Railroad	124
Total	570
Receipts previously	92,641
Total	93,211
Stock Sept. 1	249
Grand total	93,460

SHIPMENTS.

Shipments to-day	1,833
Shipments previously	79,007
Total	80,816
Stock on hand	12,614

The following is our comparative statement:

RECEIPTS.

Receipts to-day	570
Receipts same day last year	845
Showing a decrease of	275
Receipts since September 1, 1879	93,211
Receipts same time 1878	71,991
Showing an increase of	21,217

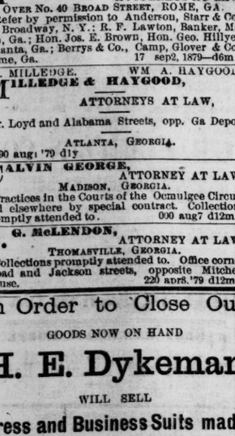
SHIPMENTS.

Shipments since September 1, 1879	80,816
Shipments for same time last year	65,616
Showing an increase of	15,200

The following is the comparative table of net receipts at all United States ports:

Net receipts at all the ports to-day	21,312
Same day last year	22,683
Showing a decrease of	1,371
Net receipts for five days	132,093
Same days last year	117,475
Showing an increase of	14,618
Net receipts since September 1, 1879	4,363,476
Same time last year	3,034,080
Showing an increase of	559,396

Closed irregular but firm; sales 185,000 bales.



October—10:22 a.m., 12.23; 3:02 p.m., 12.22@12.22.

By Telegraph.

LIVERPOOL, January 22.—noon—Cotton tending down: middling uplands 7; middling Orleans 7⅛; sales 10,000; speculation and export 1,000; receipts 4,450; American 2,900; futures uplands low middling clause January delivery 6 15-16; January and February delivery 6 15-16; February and March delivery 6 15-16, 6 31-32@6 15-16; March and April delivery 6 31-32 7@6 31-32; April and May delivery 7 1-32; May and June delivery 7 3-32@7 1-16; June and July delivery 7⅛; August and September delivery 7 7-32; futures dull.

LIVERPOOL, January 22.—1:30 p. m.—Middling uplands 7; middling Orleans 7⅛; low middling uplands 6⅞; good ordinary uplands 6 11-16; ordinary uplands 6⅝; futures quiet and steady.

LIVERPOOL, January 22—3:30 p. m.—Sales of American 8,100 bales; uplands low middling clause August and September delivery 7 1-16.

LIVERPOOL, January 23—5:00 p. m.—Futures closed dull.

NEW YORK, January 22.—Cotton steady; middling uplands 12¾; middling Orleans 12¾; sales 457 bales; consolidated net receipts 963; gross 4,320; consolidated net receipts 21,312; exports to Great Britain 9,010; to France 800; to continent 653.

GALVESTON, January 22.—Cotton quiet; middlings 12; low middlings 11¾; good ordinary 11¼; net receipts 910 bales; gross —; sales 1,439; stock 72,227; exports coastwise 2,093.

NORFOLK, January 22.—Cotton quiet; middlings 12¾; net receipts 1,593 bales; gross —; sales 39,607; stock 90,207; sales 90; exports coastwise 1,403.

BALTIMORE, January 22.—Cotton quiet; middlings 12¾; low middlings 12¼; good ordinary 11¾; low middlings 12¼; good ordinary 11¾; net receipts 629 bales; gross 1,200; sales none; stock 9,413.

WILMINGTON, January 22.—Cotton quiet; middlings 12¾; low middlings 11¾; good ordinary 11¼; net receipts 272 bales; gross —; sales none; stock 8,616.

PHILADELPHIA, January 22.—Cotton quiet; middlings 12¾; low middlings 12¼; good ordinary 12; net receipts 894 bales; gross 783; sales 1,000; to spinners 304; stock 15,993.

SAVANNAH, January 22.—Cotton quiet; middlings 12¾; low middlings 11¾; good ordinary 11¼; net receipts 2,381 bales; gross —; sales 2,000; stock 83,705; exports coastwise 4,168.

NEW ORLEANS, January 22.—Cotton weaker, some sales lower; middlings 12¾; low middlings 11¾; good ordinary 11¾; net receipts 10,221 bales; gross 16,987; sales 5,000; stock 322,130; exports to Great Britain 3,164.

MOBILE, January 22.—Cotton quiet and easy; middlings 12; low middlings 11¾; good ordinary 11¼; net receipts 947 bales; gross 962; sales 3,000; stock 71,938; exports to Great Britain 4,614; coastwise 130.

MEMPHIS, January 22.—Cotton easy; middlings 12; net receipts 3,197 bales; shipments 2,140; sales 1,400; stock 119,466.

AUGUSTA, January 22.—Cotton quiet; middlings 11¾; low middlings 11¼; good ordinary 11; net receipts 530 bales; shipments —; sales 612.

CHARLESTON, January 22.—Cotton dull and nominal; middlings 12¾; low middlings 12¼; good ordinary 11¾; net receipts 2,453 bales; gross —; sales 500; stock 58,651; exports to continent 6,555; coastwise 520.

PROVISIONS, GRAIN, ETC.

CONSTITUTION OFFICE,
Atlanta, January 22. 1880.

The following table shows the fluctuations in wheat, corn, clear rib sides and lard.

CHICAGO FUTURES.
CHICAGO, January 22, 1880.

TIME	WHEAT.	CORN.	C. R. SIDES.	MESS PORK.	LARD.
	FEB.	MARCH.	FEB.	MARCH.	FEB.	MARCH.	FEB.	MARCH.
10:22.....	1.04	1.04½	43	43½	6.60	6.70	6.72½	6.80	6.80	6.90
10:50.....	1.04	1.04½	43	43½	6.60	6.70	6.72½	6.80	6.80	6.90
11:37.....	1.04	1.04½	43	43½	6.60	6.70	6.72½	6.80	6.80	6.90
1:30.....	1.04	1.04½	43	43½	6.60	6.70	6.72½	6.80	6.80	6.90
12:45.....	1.04	1.04½	43	43½	6.60	6.70	6.72½	6.80	6.80	6.90
8:30.....	1.04	1.04½	43	43½	6.60	6.70	6.72½	6.80	6.80	6.90
8:02.....	1.04	1.04½	43	43½	6.60	6.70	6.72½	6.80	6.80	6.90

Flour, Grain and Meal.

BALTIMORE, January 22—Flour dull: Howard street and western superfine $4.75@5.00; extra $5.25@6.00; family $6.25@7.00; city mills superfine $5.50@5.75; extra $5.25@6.00; family $6.25@7.25; Rio brands $7.00@7.25; Patapsco family $8.00. Wheat, southern better; western spot firm; futures weak; southern red $1.37@1.40; amber $1.43@1.47; No 2 western winter red spot and January $1.42½; February $1.42¾@1.43; March $1.45¾@1.46; April $1.47¾@1.47⅝; May $1.48¾@1.49. Corn, southern quiet and firm; western steady and firm; southern white 60; yellow 58. Oats higher; southern 50@52; western white 48@49; western mixed 46@47; Pennsylvania 48@49.

ATLANTA, January 22—Flour—Market steady; fancy $8.00; extra family $7.75; family $7.50. Wheat—No very great change took place in Chicago until late in the day when the market broke down completely and an immediate decline hurried prices down to $1.17¾ and $1.18¾ for February and March respectively. These were the closing figures and show a loss of nearly 3c per bushel. Receipts are on the increase regardless of the immense stocks now held there. The local wheat market is without change; prime to choice $1.50@$1.55. Corn—We quote the market steady at 74c. Oats—Easy at 65@75c. Meal—73c. Grits—$4.00.

NEW YORK, January 22—Flour, southern dull; common to fair extra $6.00@$6.50; good to choice extra $6.75@$8.00. Wheat 2@3c lower and very much depressed; ungraded winter red $1.38½@$1.43; No. 2 do $1.46¾@1.47¾; mixed winter $1.42½@$1.45. Corn scarcely so firm and very dull; ungraded 60@60¾. Oats dull and about ½c lower; No. 3 47¾. Hops quiet and nominal; yearlings 7@18.

CHICAGO, January 22—Flour, dull; western spring $5.75@$8.00. Wheat unsettled and lower and active; No. 2 Chicago spring $1.19¾. Corn unsettled and generally lower at 37⅞. Oats dull, weak and lower at 33¾. At the close wheat was active, weak and lower at $1.17¾. Corn 5c lower at 37⅞. Oats dull, weak and lower at 33¾.

LOUISVILLE, January 22—Flour dull; extra $4.50@$5.00; family $5.00@$5.50; A No. 1 $5.75@$6.25; fancy $6.50@$8.00. Wheat dull; red, amber and white $1.25@1.28. Corn dull; white 46; mixed 45. Oats heavy; dull 41; mixed 40.

ST. LOUIS, January 22—Flour firmer, double extra $5.35@$5.45; choice to fancy $6.00@$6.45. Wheat higher; No. 2 red fall $1.24½@$1.25. Corn stronger at 36. Oats firm but slow at 37¾.

CINCINNATI, January 22—Flour dull; family $6.00@$6.25; fancy $6.40@$6.75. Wheat firm; No. 2 red winter 1.32. Corn active and firm at 43. Oats steady at 40.

NEW ORLEANS, January 22—Flour quiet; superfine $4.75@$5.00; high grades $6.00@$7.00. Corn in fair demand at 55@57. Oats easier at 52@53.

Miscellaneous.

ATLANTA, January 22.—Lime—Unchanged; in car-load lots, free on cars in Atlanta, 56c; less than car-loads 90c is asked; Rosendale cement $2.50 per bbl. of 300 lbs. neat; Louisville cement, car-load lots, $1.75; less than car-load $2.00; Portland cement, car-load lots $4.75, less than car-load $5.00; plaster-of-paris ("calcined"), car-load lots, $2.25; in smaller quantities $2.50@$2.75; land plaster ("new fertilizer"), car-load lots $2.25 ₩ bbl.; less than car-loads $2.50 ₩ bbl.; marble dust in lots $3.00@$4.00 ₩ bbl.

ATLANTA, January 22.—Hides—Market firm. Trade has been good for some days; dry flint 12½@14; dry salt 12½@14; wet salted 8 @8½. Furs are in good demand and firm: minks, good, 25@30; prime $2.00@$3.00; beaver $1.00@$1.50; coon 10@35; musk rat 5@10.

ATLANTA, January 22.—Paper—Market firm No. 1 6½@7½c ₩ lb; wrapping 5½c ₩ lb; straw 4@ 5c ₩ lb; bagging for corn, new 7½@8½c; for wheat, 9½@10c; second-hand 6½@7c.

ATLANTA, January 22. — Plastering Hair — Trade is very good at present: Georgia 20@22c per bushel; western 25@30c; laths, car-load, $2.50 per M; less quantities $2.75 per M.

ATLANTA, January 22.—Leather—Market firm and steady; hemlock, good, 34c; hemlock G. D. 30c; white oak sole 40@44c; harness leather 40@45c.

ATLANTA, January 22.—Salt—Liverpool, $1.10; Virginia in white sacks as follows: Kannawah $1.10; Holston $1.45.

NEW YORK, January 22—Wool steady; domestic fleece 43@48; pulled 30@38; unwashed 18@40; Texas 21@28.

ATLANTA, January 22.—Hay—Market steady; choice Timothy $ .00; choice mixed $1.30; prime mixed $1.20.

ATLANTA, January 22. —Wool—Stocks very light; washed 30@35c; unwashed 25c; burry 15@ 20c.

NEW YORK, January 22—Rosin steady at $1.60 @$1.65. Turpentine dull and easier; 42¾ asked.

ATLANTA, January 22.—Peas—Stock 85@85c; white in good demand as $1.10@$1.25.

ATLANTA, January 22. — Iron Ties — Pieced $1.87½; whole $2.60.

ATLANTA, January 22.—Bagging—Stock light; 1¾ to 10¾c.

ATLANTA, January 22.—Tallow — Market firm at 6c.

ATLANTA, January 22.—Rye—None on market.

ATLANTA, January 22.—Wheat Bran—$1.00.

Provisions.

ATLANTA, January 22.—There was a general advance in the Chicago market to-day and the tone exhibited more strength. Clear rib sides moved up 7 to 10 points and the fluctuations were very numerous. The condition of our market remains unchanged, and 7¾c is still quotable. Mess Pork—Chicago reports an advance of 10 to 12 points at the close for February and March, though during the day the market moved even beyond these figures. Hog receipts 18,620. Bacon—Market steady; sugar-cured hams 11@11¼; sides 8; shoulders 6; plain shoulders none. Lard —Chicago higher and firmer with an exceedingly fluctuating market. There is a large advance here; we quote tierces, leaf, 9½@; refined 9c; kegs, cans and buckets 9¾c.

NEW ORLEANS, January 22—Pork firm; old $13.50; new $13.75. Lard firm; tierces 8@8¾; kegs 9½@9¾. Bulk meats steady; shoulders, loose 4½; packed 4¾; clear ribs 6¼@7; clear sides 7¼. Bacon firm; shoulders 5¾; clear ribs 7½; clear sides 8½@8¾. Sugar-cured hams in fair demand; canvassed 9@10¾.

CHICAGO, January 22—Pork active, firm and higher at $12.85@$12.87½. Lard active, firm and higher at 7.52½. Bulk meats in good demand and a shade higher; shoulders 4.30; short rib 6¾; short clear 6.85. At the close pork was active and 12½c lower. Lard quiet and weak and 2½c lower.

CINCINNATI, January 22—Pork firmer at $13.00 @13.15. Lard firm at 7.45. Bulk meats firmer; shoulders 4¾; clear ribs 6.50@6.60; clear sides 6¾. Bacon firm; shoulders 5¾; clear ribs 7½; clear sides 7½; hams 9½@10. Green meats in fair demand; shoulders 4; sides 6.30; hams 7¼.

LOUISVILLE, January 22—Pork steady at $12.50. Lard steady; choice leaf in tierces 8½; kegs 9. Bulk meats quiet; shoulders 4¾; clear ribs 6¾; clear sides 7. Bacon scarce; shoulders 6¼; clear rib 7¾; clear sides 7¾. Sugar-cured hams 9½@10¾.

BALTIMORE, January 22—Provisions weak; Mess pork $13.50. Bulk meats, loose, shoulders and clear sides, none offering; packed, shoulders 5¼; clear rib sides 7¼. Bacon, shoulders 5¾; clear rib sides 8; hams 10¾@11. Lard, refined in tierces 8½.

NEW YORK, January 22—Pork firmer and rather quiet at $12.60@$12.65. Middles a shade stronger and quiet; long clear 7.50; short clear 7.50; long cut short clear 7.40. Lard higher, stronger and fairly active at 7.95@8.

ST. LOUIS, January 22—Pork higher at $12.10. Lard firmer; nominally 7.25@7.40. Bulk meats higher; shoulders 4.01@4.20; clear ribs 6.50@6.60; clear sides 6.75@6.75. Bacon firmer; loose clear ribs 7.20; packed 7¾.

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ATLANTA, January 22.—Leather—Market firm and steady; hemlock, good, 34c; hemlock G. D. 30c; white oak sole 40@44c; harness leather 40@45c.

ATLANTA, January 22.—Salt—Liverpool, $1.10; Virginia in white sacks as follows: Kannawah $1.10; Holston $1.45.

NEW YORK, January 22—Wool steady; domestic fleece 43@48; pulled 30@38; unwashed 18@40; Texas 21@28.

ATLANTA, January 22.—Hay—Market steady; choice Timothy $ .00; choice mixed $1.30; prime mixed $1.20

Corsica, middling uplands, closed in Liverpool yesterday at 5d; in New York, 12⅝c; in Atlanta, 11½@12c.

Daily Weather Report.

COMMANDER'S OFFICE, SIGNAL CORPS, U. S. A., KIMBALL HOUSE, January 22, 10:31 P. M.

All observations taken at the same moment of actual time.

NAME OF STATION.	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Humidity Pr ct	WIND. Direction.	WIND. Force.	Rainfall.	Weather
Atlanta	29.78	46	54	N. W.	Fresh	.00	Clear.
Augusta	29 8	56	81	N. W.	Fresh	.00	Clear.
Corsicana	30.04	47	48	N.	Light	.00	Clear.
Galveston	30.0	58	92	N.	Brisk	.50	Clear.
Indianola	30.02	57	42	N.	Brisk	.00	Fair.
Key West	29.93	72	80	.....	Calm	.00	Clear.
Mobile	29.9	50	58	N. W.	Fresh	.00	Clear.
Montgom'y	29.90	45	69	W.	Fresh	.00	Clear.
New Orlean	29.96	59	96	N.	Fresh	.00	Clear.
Pensacola	29 98	54	51	N. W.	Gent	.00	Clear.
Savannah	29.78	64	83	W.	Fresh	.00	Clear.

*100 per cent. being complete saturation.

NOTE.—FORCE OF WIND: Light, 1 to 2 miles per hour, inclusive; Gentle, 3 to 5, inclusive Fresh, 6 to 14, inclusive; Brisk, 15 to 29, inclusive High, 30 to 50, inclusive.

Local Weather Report.

ATLANTA, GA., January 22, 1880.

Time.	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Humidity.	WIND. Direction	WIND. Force.	Rainfall.	WEATHER.
6:31 a m	29 61	54	93	S. W.	Gent	.00	Cloudy.
11:31	29.6	58	81	S. W.	Fresh	.00	Cloudy.
2 p. m.	29 60	60	65	W.	Brisk	.00	Fair.
2:31	29.57	61	55	W	Brisk	.08	Fair.
9 p. m.	29.74	48	49	N W	Fresh	.00	Clear.
10:31 "	29.78	46	54	N. W.	Fresh	.00	Clear.

Mean daily bar.....	29.688	Maximum ther.....	.52
Mean daily ther.....	52 7	Minimum ther.....	.46
Mean daily humid.	.69	Total rainfall.....	.08

H. HALL,
Corporal Signal Corps, U. S. A.

PREFERRED LOCALS.

THE PRICE of the "DOMESTIC" is as low as a well made Sewing Machine can be sold and it is undoubtedly the CHEAPEST (in the end) Machine to-buy. But, it does not compete with the low-priced Machines of the day. They have one class of trade, and we have a very different market for our goods. Our sales are to the intelligent and well-to-do portion of the community who can understand and appreciate real excellence, and whose necessities do not compel them to get along with an inferior article.

WHOLESALE } CRAIGE & CO., 48 Whitehall St.,
& RETAIL. } ATLANTA, GA.

N. B.—We are ready for any test that may be proposed, to demonstrate the justness of our claim to superiority. C. & Co.

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TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

Engines, Machinery, etc—Thos. Camp.
59 years old—Jas. P. Harrison & Co.
New Seeds, etc—Mark W. Johnson & Co.
Seven Vacant Lots—G. W. Adair.
Law Library at auction—W. C. Morris & Co.
Boss Coffee Pot—Frank Ricker.

MEETINGS.

[Notices of meetings, not exceeding ten lines, will be inserted under this head for one dollar.]

Knights of Honor.

Georgia Lodge, No. 127, K. of H., meets to-night at 7:30. All members urged to attend, and visiting brothers in good standing will be kindly welcomed.

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Leap Year Musical.

Lecture Room of Trinity Church, Friday evening, January 23d, at 7:30 o'clock. Admission, adults 25 cents; children, under 15 years of age, 15 cents. The object of this entertainment is to raise a fund to build a Parsonage.

PROGRAMME.

Prof. C. A. CAPWELL.....Musical Director.
Reading.....Harry Huzza
Household Medley—Vocal...Eight Young Ladies.
Vocal Solo.....Mrs. C. A. Capwell.
Instrumental—Organ solo.....Prof. C. A. Capwell.
Vocal Solo.....Mrs. Clara Johnson.
Reading.....Mr. Chas. T. Logan.
Vocal Solo.....Mrs. C. A. Capwell.
Reading.....Wm. Brenner.
Vocal Solo.....Mrs. Clara Johnson.
"Singing Skewl" Burlesque.

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The Constitution.

ATLANTA, GA., JANUARY 23, 1880.

SIDEWALK NOTES.

—The superior court has adjourned.

—Nothing new around police headquarters.

—The neighborhood of the city hall furnished nothing of interest yesterday.

—Amateur weather prophets say that a storm is near at hand.

—Brick yards will soon be working if the weather continues mild.

—A new military company is to be organized in Atlanta.

—Atlanta is fast becoming a popular resort for the restive hand-organ professor.

—W. B. Hudson, of Griffin, sold in this city yesterday five mules for $320, the average being $164.

—The two new stores to be erected on Alabama street for ex-Governor Brown, were rented some weeks since.

—Although Joe Jefferson does not appear in this city until Monday next, nearly every seat has been sold already.

—The fair of the Young Men's library association is deserving of a more liberal support.

—The idea of organizing a first-class base ball nine the coming summer seems to meet with general approval.

—Andrew Stewart, editor of the street brigade, purchased four mules yesterday for the chain-gang service.

—The Atlanta postoffice has undoubtedly the most accommodating corps of clerks to be found in any postoffice in the south.

—A drover remarked yesterday that mules were getting scarce in the up-country, and that the rush is over for the season on that account.

—The state agricultural department is now comfortably fixed up in its new quarters, and business is moving along smoothly.

—The recorder's chain-gang is liable to dry up any day. The number of hands employed in this department of the city service is gradually getting smaller.

—A car load of silver bricks passed through Atlanta yesterday on their way to the New Orleans mint. The shipment was from New York city.

—Johnson, the bill poster, has presented the Markham with a handsome frame containing a complete and neatly-arranged railroad time table.

—W. J. Houston, general passenger agent of the Piedmont Air-Line, has lately received at his office a handsome flag, which will be used at the King's mountain centennial celebration.

Supreme Court of Georgia.

SUPREME COURT OF GEORGIA.
January 22, 1880.

Atlanta Circuit..... 47
No. 12. Argument concluded.
No. 16. Smith vs. The State. Assault and battery, from city court of Atlanta. Argued. Gartrell & Wright, for plaintiff in error. Howard Van Epps, solicitor-general of city court, for the state.
No. 17. Pease vs. The State. Keeping open tippling house on Sunday, from city court of Atlanta. S. D. McConnell, by brief, for plaintiff in error. Howard Van Epps, city solicitor, for the state.

Pending the argument of Mr. Van Epps, the court adjourned until 10 o'clock to-morrow.

Supreme Court of Georgia.

THURSDAY, January 22, 1880.

"In conformity to the act of October 15, 1879; Ordered, That counsel be required to file their abstracts and briefs in the Clerk's office of this Court on or before Monday, the 2d of February next, in all cases then pending in this Court, and not previously argued or duly continued."

CLERK'S OFFICE SUPREME COURT OF GA., }
ATLANTA, GA., January 22, 1880. }

I hereby certify that the above is a true extract from the minutes of Supreme Court of the State of Georgia.

Z. D. HARRISON,
Clerk Supreme Court Georgia.

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Credit to Whom it is Due.

ATLANTA, GA., January 22, 1880.—Editors Constitution: I notice in this morning's issue of your paper that you give Policeman R. H. Clark the credit of working up the stealing case of Lou Jones. I feel it due to Captain A. B. Conolly to say that he alone worked up the case in all its details, and when she was ready to execute he called upon Policeman Clark to assist him in the search. E. P. CHAMBERLIN.

HOITY STATESMEN

WHOSE WISHES WERE DISREGARDED

Mr. Hayes's Duplicity With Congressmen Raises a Storm of Indignation—The Partisan Character of the Census Supervisors—Proceedings in Congress

WASHINGTON, January 22.—The dissatisfaction over the appointment of supervisors of the census increases as the list is examined, and members of congress complain that they have been trifled with in a manner that arouses great indignation. Several of them state that they originally asked no favors in this regard, but merely referred applications for appointment from their districts to the president without comment, but were afterwards sent for by the president and superintendent of the census and asked to designate men for appointment, being told that their selection would be accepted and the men they designated would be appointed. At least seven congressmen went through this little transaction, and notified their friends of the result. In looking over the list not one of them find the men they designated. One congressman goes so far as to charge that President Hayes and General Walker insisted upon his naming a man when he several times declined to do so, because of certain political complications in his district, and after having given him positive assurances that his selection would be appointed, have named a man who is very offensive to him. These congressmen object to this sort of trifling.

Congressman Pound, of Wisconsin, is probably the maddest man in congress. He had a constituent whom he was very anxious to have appointed, and he secured the indorsement for him of all the Wisconsin delegation and a whole regiment of public men. He says General Walker and the president both promised to appoint him. A week ago Governor Pound learned incidentally that another man was talked of, and went to see both Hayes and Walker. They gave a second assurance that Pound's man should be nominated, and further promised that if any other application came from his district they would let him (Pound) know at once. Pound heard nothing from them, and when he saw the list in the morning papers was considerably surprised to see the name of a man he never heard of put down for his district. Supposing it to be a mistake he went to the census office and found the contrary to be the case—that the appointee was recommended by ex-Governor Solomons, of Wisconsin, now a democrat in New York, and by no one else. Pound's remarks are not a matter of record.

Of the 150 supervisors appointed the democrats get 38. The only state in which the supervisors are all democrats is North Carolina, which is also the only southern state that has two republican members of congress. So much for republican dissatisfaction. There is quite as much dissatisfaction among democrats, and a very respectable proportion of the nominees will be rejected. It is said that neither Senator Wallace nor Senator Cameron is pleased with the appointments for Pennsylvania, and that they complain that the Pennsylvania members of the house had too much to do with the appointments, and too little regard was paid by the appointing power to their wishes. It is probable that most if not all of the supervisors for the south will be confirmed. It is in the north and west where the democrats complain that almost the entire list of supervisors is taken from the republican party.

THE NEW MINISTER TO MEXICO.

Philip H. Morgan, the new minister to Mexico, is a Louisianian by birth, who has made an honorable record in that state. He was bred a lawyer, and has served as United States district attorney as well as on the bench in that state, while he has also been a member of the international judicial commission estabished in Egypt a few years ago. He is a republican in politics, but is vouched for by prominent democrats as an intelligent and accomplished gentleman, well qualified for his new position. Louisiana people regard Morgan's appointment as a deserved recognition of the growing trade relations between their state and Mexico.

It has been decided to appoint ex-Governor Pinchback, of Louisiana, as naval officer at New Orleans in place of Colonel James Lewis. The friends of the latter are decidedly opposed to this change, and it is likely that a fight will be made in the senate on the Pinchback confirmation.

The president has withdrawn the nominations of the following census supervisors: Samuel Thompson, second Alabama district, and Henry Hammond, second South Carolina district.

Notice is given by the light-house board that after January 31 a white light illuminating the whole horizon with a flash every thirty seconds, will be shown at Laura Point, Albermarle sound, N. C.

The house committee on commerce heard arguments to-day by Mr. Foster, of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad, and E. P. Alexander, president of the Georgia railroad, in opposition to the Reagan inter-state commerce bill.

The house committee on education and labor heard arguments this morning on the proposed distribution of money arising from unclaimed pay, and the bounties of colored soldiers. The committee are in favor of devoting this money to the education of colored people, but have not yet decided upon any plan of distribution, though it is understood they are in favor of the plan suggested in the bill introduced in the senate by Senator Bruce, of Mississippi.

THE SENATE.

Mr. Teller offered a resolution calling on the secretary of the interior to inform the senate whether any member of the board of Indian commissioners had become interested in the Indian contracts. Adopted.

On motion of Mr. Cameron (Pennsylvania), it was resolved, yeas 31, nays 21, that when the senate adjourns to-day, it be to meet Monday next.

The Bayard resolution was taken up and Mr. Coke proceeded to speak upon it.

Mr. Coke speaking against, the Bayard resolution said, there was not a line of legislation to show that the greenbacks were originally regarded as a temporary lien; on the contrary, the original intention seems to have been to keep as large an amount afloat as could be kept at par. They were the most popular money the people ever had. The people were satisfied with them and he favored letting well enough alone. If the legal tender quality were withdrawn from the greenbacks they would have to be called in and destroyed. This was a movement in the interest of the national banks and bondholders, who wished to enhance the value of gold. The policy of those who favored it was to oppress the people in the interest of those who were already rich. The demand for this measure comes not from the producers, or laborers, but from those who live on the labors of others. The cry of hard money was, he said, delusive. We would not have hard money under the operation of this resolution. National bank notes would take the place of silver, greenbacks and gold, should the gold leave the country, and we would have little gold in bank values and a flood of bank notes in circulation. In conclusion, he said all who favor unshackled influence to peep into this government, all who favor hard money, all who disprove dangerous monopolies, all who disprove in equal rights for all as opposed to class legislation, should oppose this resolution. The senate then adjourned until Monday.

THE HOUSE.

After transacting some miscellaneous business the house resumed the consideration of the bank service bill, the pending question being on seconding the demand for the previous question, and it was seconded by 100 to 48. The main question was then ordered, and the house debate commenced. At the conclusion of the debate the house proceeded to vote on the bill and pending amendments.

Speeches were made against the pending bill (Buckner's reserve bill) by Messrs. Gillette, of Iowa; Weaver, of Iowa; Whitthorne, of Tennessee, and Keefer, of Ohio.

The house then, by a vote of 158 to 78, resolved to order the third reading and engrossing of the bill, thus virtually killing it.

After the usual debate on the revision of the rules, in the course of which Mr. Cox (New York) made a humorous speech, the senate amendments to the house bill, providing for United States circuit and district courts at Macon, Ga., was concurred in, and the house adjourned.

Big Fire.

PETERSBURG, VA., January 22.—A large and valuable cotton gin owned by Colonel William H. Spratley, in Greenesville county, was destroyed by fire yesterday, together with the machinery and a large quantity of cotton stored in the building.

New Goods! New Goods

MR. BOYNTON, of our firm, has just returned from New York, and we are prepared to show some of the most attractive goods ever seen in Atlanta, embracing the following lines of Goods:

New Colored Silks, New Fancy Silks, Brocade Silks in evening shades, Satins in evening shades, Black Silks, New Fringes, New Passementeries, Fancy Silk Handkerchiefs, Fancy Embroidered Handkerchiefs, Fancy Linen Handkerchiefs, Lace Handkerchiefs, Table Linens, Doyles, Towels, Gents' Shirts, Gents' Underwear, Ladies' Underwear, Fancy Hosiery, Kid Gloves, Cloaks, Dolmans, 300 pairs fine Bed Blankets at Great Bargains, New Flannels, all styles.

CARPETS. CARPETS.

NEW TAPESTRY, NEW INGRAINS, NEW 2-PLYS, LACE CURTAINS, LAMBREQUINS, SHADES, OIL CLOTHS, ETC.

SHOES! SHOES! SHOES! SHOES! SHOES!

Our stock of Shoes has been replenished with New Styles from several of the leading manufacturers in Gents', Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shoes, c.c. Call and examine our stock of NEW AND BEAUTIFUL GOODS.

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The Library Fair.

The attendance upon the fair of the Young Mens' library association last evening was much more gratifying than it has been any evening since the doors of the hall were thrown open and the public invited to partake of the hospitalities of the enterprise, gotten up for the benefit of one of Atlanta's most deserving institutions. The crowd was better in every way. There were more married men in the ranks, and generally they responded freely when asked to take a chance or invited to purchase some article of value and usefulness.

There was also present quite a fine representation of the young men of the city, who gave freely whenever asked to invest their loose change. Probably all of this was owing to the attentions paid them by scores of beautiful young ladies who moved from one portion of the hall to the other, engaged in disposing of various small articles either by sale or raffle. A stranger who was present remarked with emphasis that he had never seen so many pretty girls before. All that was necessary to make a man invest was for one of these young ladies to make a request and she was handed the pocket-book to take the amount that she wanted.

All of the tables did well and the Midgets got their full share of the loose change that was handed out. It was generally remarked that these two little curiosities were the most wonderful little beings in existence. The general favored the audience several times during the evening with songs and selections from the popular opera of Pinafore. He refused to get off any Pinafore jokes and was profusely thanked for not doing so. Major Atom also sang and danced and gave the audience to understand that although only twenty-six inches high he was every inch a man.

Howell Glenn's egg venture is the biggest thing that we have ever seen in the egg line and took well with the patrons of the fair. Will Nutting drew a pair of slippers, and several other adventurers came out with a full hand.

At Mrs. Kimball's table, business was quite lively the entire evening. A score of young ladies had their headquarters there, and were quite successful in disposing of a large quantity of goods at good figures.

Mrs. Ball's table held its own admirably. She was also ably assisted by a bevy of female beauties who were quite active and successful in the discharge of their various duties.

At Miss Flynn's table there was presented a scene of much activity during the entire evening. She was assisted in the management of her department of the enterprise by quite a number of the fair sex, who showed their devotion to the cause by working earnestly and faithfully during the entire evening. Miss Flynn's table will doubtless make a handsome showing when the returns come in.

The other departments of the fair were freely patronized. The supper-room was quite popular and the managers were successful in banking considerable change during the evening.

To-night we may look for another fine crowd.

FAIR NOTES.

—The Midgets hold a reception each afternoon.

—Over three hundred tickets have already been taken on the piano.

—The raffle for the carpet is coming on handsomely.

—The $500 state bond at the Pinafore table is attracting the heavier investors.

—The elegant carpet and the Mardi Gras ticket at the Mystic Owl table are popular raffles.

—Those broiled oysters served at the refreshment tables are just too delicious for anything.

—Charlie Harmon won the keg of beer at the domestic venture, and Captain Harwell the big pyramid cake.

—Howell Glenn's horse will be voted for quite often to-night. The most popular fire company in the city will get it.

—Quite a number of visiting young ladies are in attendance upon the fair and appear to be taking a lively interest in all that is going on.

—To-day and every day during the holding of the fair, lunch will be served during the morning and dinner can be had between the hours of 1 and 3 o'clock.

—The art gallery was thronged again last night and was greatly enjoyed. Many pronounce it the most attractive feature of the fair.

—The board of education adjourned early last night and proceeded to the fair in a body, headed by its worthy president, Governor Brown. A commendable example.

—The "Bumble Bees" have a handsome sofa presented by Eastman & Wilkins, of Chicago, through P. H. Snook, the popular furniture man of Atlanta.

—One of the most elegant articles in the fair is the exquisite fancy chair donated by F. Knutina, the great furniture man of New York, to Mrs. Kimball's table. The "Bumble Bees" will raffle it.

—Mr. Leonard, the agent of the Singer company, proposes to give his thirty or forty employes a dinner at the library fair, if other merchants will do the same. Merchants, call on Hoke Smith, or Pat Calhoun and arrange the time.

—The library fair committee warmly appreciated Mr. McCullough's generous offer to give a matinee this afternoon, and donate one-third the net proceeds to the fair, but the heavy price demanded for the use of the opera house prevented its acceptance.

—The race between railroad clerks at the leap year table grows lively. Messrs. Rhodes, of the Georgia road; Grant, of the West Point, and Osborne, of the Central, are the contestants.

—The Sterling manufacturing company of Baltimore has donated to the library fair 300 cans Sterling baking powder and same number of receipt books, also a bag of flour and can of lard, to show that this powder will do. All hot biscuit served at this fair is raised with this baking powder.

—Messrs. Coffin, Altemas & Co., New York agents of our cotton factory, sent to Mrs. Kimball a check for $100 to be invested in chances on the grand piano, with the understanding that if they draw it it is to be raffled again for the benefit of the fair. Messrs. M. C. & J. F. Kiser, Atlanta agents of the factory, have given $25 upon the same terms.

Duprez & Benedict Minstrels.

California Theater.—Duprez & Benedict's great company of minstrels made their debut before a distinguished California audience last evening that thronged every portion of the immense auditorium of the California theater. There must have been over 3,000 persons present.—San Francisco (Cal.) Daily Figaro.

Duprez & Benedict's.—This very excellent minstrel company played to a large, highly pleased audience at the Academy of Music last evening. The overture and ballad singing are selections of gems, and the olio which follows is full of fun and music. The comedians are of the best men in the business. Two or three new original burlesques were presented last evening, and the enthusiasm of the audience knew no bounds.—Cleveland (Ohio) Daily Leader.

Royal Theater—Duprez & Benedict's Minstrels.—This company is largely patronised by our most fashionable citizens. The performances are of high order. The singing and instrumental music is good, and the burlesques create roars of laughter.—Montreal (Canada) Daily Herald.

A Rush.

Yesterday there was a rush for seats to Joe Jefferson's Monday night performance. The board was surrounded by purchasers all the forenoon, and by night all the seats in the pit and two rows in the circle were taken. We learn that there will be several excursions from neighboring towns to see the popular actor. A large party is coming from as far as Greensboro.

Married.

On yesterday, at 1 o'clock p.m., at the residence of Mr. R. J. Griffin, corner Church and Spring streets, by Rev. Mr. Evans, Miss Gussie Brown, of this city, to Mr. James M. Barnes, of Chattanooga. With the warm congratulations and kind wishes of many friends, the happy couple left on the 3 o'clock train for Chattanooga.

The Christian Index.

We take pleasure in directing the attention of our readers, especially merchants, manufacturers and professional men, to the advertisement of THE CHRISTIAN INDEX. It is the leading and the oldest religious family newspaper in the South; its large and constantly increasing circulation, its high character, its special field, and the vast and prosperous territory through which it circulates, make it one of the most profitable and powerful advertising mediums in this country. Read the indorsements, and notice the fine premiums offered.

THE BOSS.

Each Day Renews Its Praises.

Of late, from time to time, we have indorsed the Boss Coffee Pot, introduced to our people by Mr. Frank Ricker. We could not, if we would, tire of saying a good word, for we are daily reminded of its great blessings. Mr. R is again in Atlanta, and will remain but a short time for the purpose of dealing out territory not already disposed of. When Mr. Ricker came south a few weeks since he owned all the entire southern states for this valuable invention secured by three patents. He now has only a part of Georgia and the state of Florida left, all the rest having been sold by him and his agents. We refer our readers to the advertisement in another column, and indorse all claimed for the Boss. By actual use we know that words spoken or printed can but feebly convey the great benefit this new method of making coffee will be to the public in all time to come. Through Mr. Ricker's agent, Boss coffee is nightly served at the Young Mens' Library Fair, and highly appreciated.

Of the two firms referred to in the advertisement, Messrs. Stewart & Fain, of this city, and A. K. Childs & Co., of Athens, no fulsom notice is needed. They stand among the first and strongest firms in the state in their line, and no doubt handle more stoves and tinware than any other two houses in Georgia. The fact that they have taken hold of the "Boss" is an indorsement of its merit.

VIRGINIUS.

John McCullough as The Roman Father.

It is now nearly half a century since William Hazlett pronounced Virginius the best acting play of the modern stage. The great critic but long since passed away, but the grand old Roman story woven into a master tragedy by the immortal genius of Sheridan Knowles, has nobly stood the test of time, and is told and retold with ever new delight upon the mimic boards. Last evening John McCullough appeared for the second time here in his impersonation of Virginius.

And such a manly flexible face, which mirrors alike the quietest emotion and the fiercest passions of the working soul. But his face and form are but the splendid framework of his mighty conception. How beautiful the picture when happy in his daughter's perfect love the Roman father sits within his peaceful home, and presses to his big and glowing heart. How regal his smile, as with yielding fondness she responds to his endearing touch. How utterly found up in his heart's tenderest chords this beautiful treasure idolizedand him by his dead wife! And then the betrothal scene—nothing could exceed its exquisite pathos and hallowed power as portrayed by this actor. The glistening eye, the clinging voice, the bowed head, all told more eloquently far than the tenderest tones how hard it was to give her up. The solemn beauty of that scene, once looked upon, can never be forgotten. That was a fine touch of nature, too, when he hears of her danger. What a noble struggle to be the father mastering a father's anger. And then the overwhelming passion of the meeting between father and daughter. Pierce, yet tender, powerful, yet subdued, it sent an electric thrill through the audience which almost set it aside.

In the forum scene, too, Mr. McCullough's acting was superb. As hand in hand and heart to heart, Virginius entered with his daughters, a death-like stillness reigned in the house. And as he stood before the villain Appius Claudius, to unfold the horror of his child's fate, such majesty in his presence, a pathos in his voice, that made him seem as one inspired.

We have never seen the climax of this scene so finely given—the stabbing of Virginia was beautifully done, and in his defiance of the soldiers Mr. McCullough was sublime. His acting of the mingled grief and rage in the extreme. The vacant stare, the madman's laugh, the haggard look and dishevelled hair, gave him the appearance of a different being, and the intense terror excited by his stranging of Appius presented a most striking contrast to the protected pity produced at the sight of a victim of his murderous mind and he wept over the ashes of Virginius.

Mr. McCullough is the only living Virginius. When Edwin Forrest died, his only equal passed away.

The support last night was very strong. Miss Kate Forsyth as Virginia, was admirable. She is a beautiful woman and her acting has the delight charm of naturalness.

As Icilius, Mr. Ward was very fine and received his share of applause. The Servia of Mrs. Augusta Foster was decidedly sustained. The Appius Claudius of Mr. Langdon was good. The Dentatus of Mr. Sutton and the Numitorius of Mr. Lane were very fair.

To-night Mr. McCullough will appear in his masterly role of Othello. Mr. Ward playing Iago. We predict a crowded house.

PERSONAL MENTION.

—L. S. Mumford, of Barlow County, was in Atlanta yesterday.

—R. C. Jones, of Melville, is visiting the city.

—J. P. Jones, of Summerville, was in the city yesterday.

—C. B. Howard, of Crawford county, is in the city.

—W. T. Trammell, of Griffin is in the city.

—H. M. Peck, of Newnan, is visiting the city.

—J. D. Alexander, editor of the Griffin News, is in the city with his friends.

—George Walter, of Savannah, was in Atlanta yesterday.

—Thomas Camp, of Covington, was in Atlanta yesterday.

—W. B. Moore, of Madison, was in Atlanta yesterday.

—N. G. Prince, of Americus, passed through Atlanta yesterday.

—J. S. Carouthers, of West Point, was in the city yesterday on a visit.

—W. E. Simmons and N. B. Bates, of Lawrenceville, are in the city on a visit.

—W. H. Chase, of Washington, Ga., is visiting the city.

—A good many new freight cars are being made at the railroad shops of the city.

—W. H. Carleton, editor of the Athens Banner, is in the city on a visit.

—G. W. Adams, superintendent of the Macon and Brunswick railroad, is in the city on a visit.

—Miss Hattie Dunn, one of Forsyth's most charming society attractions, is visiting the family of Mrs. F. M. Potts.

—A. Leyden, No. 35 Natchez street, New Orleans, continutes his shipments of Sugar and Molasses to the close buyers of the State.

—E. W. Cole, president of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railroad company, arrived in this city yesterday. He took dinner in company with his estimable lady at the Kimball house, and left by one of the south-bound evening trains.

—On yesterday Mr. Clarence Moore, of this city, after a close examination, which was highly creditable to him, was admitted to plead and practice law. Being a young gentleman of talent and energy, we predict a prosperous future for the young attorney.

Dr. H. H. Cary, of LaGrange, has been appointed and commissioned superintendent of fisheries of the state of Georgia. It is the intention of Dr. Cary to restock the rivers of Georgia with shad, and as repeatedly as the limited appropriation will permit. A hatching establishment will at an early day be located at some eligible point in the state.

We bespeak for the superintendent the hearty co-operation of the citizens of Georgia in this great work. If no obstacles are interposed he is satisfied that in the near future shad may be made more plentiful in our rivers than ever before.

—If you want to laugh and grow fat, don't fail to hear the "Singing Skewl" next Friday evening. 462 jan22—d2t

AGRICULTURAL.

THE FIELD, THE FARM, THE GARDEN.

Sheep—Calves—Improving—The Horse—Spring Oats—Farm Notes—Go Slow—Dairy Notes—Hog Lice—Laying Hens—Deserves It—Against me—Our Prosperity.

FARMING, A BUSINESS.

At times we meet up with men who are engaged in farming who tell us that it does not pay. After conversing with them we see no reason why it should. Farming, like law, medicine, or anything else, is a business, and men who engage in it must recognize this fact—must become familiar with all the times and seasons, and the science and mechanical skill for farming. There is such a thing as planting crops at the wrong time, in the wrong soil, in the wrong way, harvesting too late or in a bad condition. Some men do not provide themselves with suitable stock, do not know how to care for them profitably, how to bring them to maturity at the proper time, or how to market them. The sensible, prudent business farmer will not risk all the interests of his farm on one single product.

IMPROVING.

It is a pleasure to know that farmers all through Georgia are improving their homes. And why should not all who live in the country make more desirable their homes? Why not carve out pretty homes, plant, and water and shape and prune, and by the magic of cultivation and skill change sterility into fertility, barrenness into bread, and old fields into blossoms?

DESERVES IT.

The agricultural industry of Georgia deserves more of the attention and care and advancement of the state government than it receives.

Those engaged in farming should be educated in a better and more improved system of agriculture and for advancement in the arts. We are moving forward in the arts and sciences, why should not agriculture keep pace? New life should be infused and new fields explored. And not only this but the efforts by private action, by municipal inducements and legislative enactments invite more people to come live among us. We have good soil which needs being touched by plow and spade. We have idle water powers unbroken upon wheels. We have good lands, pure water, a salubrious atmosphere, free schools and free churches to our goodly heritage and infinite possibilities.

ASHES FOR APPLE TREES.

Diseased apple of pear trees are sometimes attacked by insects. There is a remedy which causes the old dead bark to cleave off, leaving in its place a smooth, healthy surface. After a rain, and while the bark is yet wet, throw on the tree dry wood ashes until the power of retention is full. Sow on the ashes now, and as a preventive of future depredations sow on in summer, when the insects deposit their eggs, which will never hatch under the influence of the ashes. Two objects are gained by the operation—the ashes or lye they produce furnish food for the trees, as well as destroying its enemies, and imparts cleanliness to the tree.

FARM NOTES.

—Warmth saves feed, helps fattening and prevents sickness among live stock.

—Damaged corn is exceedingly injurious as food for horses, because it brings on inflammation of the bowels and skin diseases.

—Stagnant and impure water which cows drink while at pasturage is one of the most prominent causes of bad odor in milk.

—The best remedy for the sting of a bee, wasp or hornet is liquid ammonia, and nothing will equal its dilution in water in allaying the irritation caused by mosquitoes.

—Oats, supply more nourishment and flesh-making material to horses than any other food.

—To cure galls on the shoulders of horses: At morning, noon and night wash the shoulders well with water, and apply well with a feather; six drachms of iodine dissolved in a half pint of alcohol.

—Hogs are sometimes troubled by disordered stomach. The best antidote is charcoal. Aside from charcoal, charred corncobs, or charred corn have a good effect.

—Plowing land when it is very dry is nearly as hurtful as when it is wet. In planting, the soil should have enough moisture to cause the furrows to fall loosely from the plow with no appearance of packing and no lumps.

—Where animals are allowed to feed in grass lots until the whole is gnawed closely, no hay can be depended on the succeeding season, unless a liberal top dressing of some sort of fertilizer is applied.

THE HORSE.

Our sympathy is frequently excited to see on our streets, farm horses that are badly fed and cared for. This is not all, a greater injustice is done this valuable animal by the miserable manner in which they are otherwise loooked after. Some of them are lame from wearing badly fitting shoes. Some of them have chapped shoulders from badly fitted collars, or narrow belly-bands. Then we see others with inflamed backs from defective saddles. Others with sore mouths from tight check-reins. Others with sore tails from tight crappers. Tightly strapped blinds irritate the eyes of others. And so we might go on and enumerate other hardships that are inflicted upon horses by careless or inhuman owners.

GAPES IN CHICKENS.

The parasite that causes gapes in fowls is of a red color and about three-quarters of an inch long. The remedies are numerous, but chiefly consist in removing the worms. One way is to moisten a feather from which all but the tip of the web has been stripped with oil, salt water, or a weak solution of carbolic acid, introduce it into the windpipe, twist it around once or twice, and then withdraw it. A teaspoonful of sulphur mixed with a quart of corn meal and water and fed to the fowls morning and evening is also a good remedy.

OUR PROSPERITY.

Farming during the past season has been remunerative. Cotton has brought a better price than those who grew it anticipated when the crop was planted. Well, this is encouraging to farmers, but they should look closely at the reasons. The price of cotton this season has been managed by speculators—the supply and demand has not controlled. Other products of the farm have brought good prices on account of bad seasons and poor crops abroad. Rains and sunless days in England, France and other countries made an increased demand for our products. We would say to our agricultural friends, think carefully as to what crops you will grow the coming season, and do not neglect scientific methods for providing them.

FERTILIZING PLANTS.

Plants which are cultivated in pots or tubs require a great deal of water, and if they thrive well, should have stimulating fertilizers. For hard wooded, slow growing plants, flour of bone is perhaps the best; a few table-spoonfuls being forked into the soil of the pot. For soft wooded, quick growers, a liquid fertilizer may be used. This may be guano, a teaspoonful to a gallon of water; soot, two table spoonfuls to a gallon, or liquid heartshorn, an ounce to the gallon. Water the plants with either of these instead of clear water once or twice a week, as the condition of the plant requires.

An excellent liquid manure for flowers can be made of clippings from horses' hoofs. Put a bushel of clippings into a barrel and fill up with water. Let it stand a week, when it will be ready for use. Apply it with a watering pot. All bedding plants can be watered with this liquid every other day. It is excellent for hard-wooded plants if used once a week. Plants under this watering grow strong, the flowers are large and bright in color. This liquid is as powerful as guano, as quick in action, and more lasting. It is the cheapest of any good fertilizer. The chips or hoof parings should be replaced only twice a year.

SPRING OATS.

The earlier sown the better. When sown quite early it is well to cover the seed to the depth deep to guard against freezes. Another thing should be remembered: that is, the shorter time a crop has to grow and mature in, the more freely it should be supplied with food. The later oats are sown, the more heavily they should be manured. Cotton seed and a little phospate, or cotton seed alone is excellent for this crop. It is a good plan to sow down hard run cotton fields in oats: they need rest and accumulation of vegetable matter which an oat crop would give, and they need the stopping of washes begun here and there.

SPECIAL FERTILIZERS.

Soluble fertilizers, such as guano or nitrate of soda are useless, if not injurious in a dry season. Without abundant moisture, their solution is too concentratic, and destroys the tender extremities of the rootlets by which nutriment is absorbed. Too much water would carry the voluble matter down to the roots faster than it could be taken up, or if the plants are not in active growth the fertilizing matter could not be appropriated For these reasons we would use but very little of such soluble fertilizers in the fall, but apply the bulk of them in the spring as soon as growth begins. Guano and nitrate of soda are generally used at the rate of about 200 pounds of the former and 150 pounds of the latter per acre.

CHANNEL ISLAND CATTLE.

We have been asked the difference between the breeds of cows known as Jerseys, Guernseys and Alderneys?

There are what is termed the Channel islands, of which Jersey is the largest. The cows from these islands were formerly all called Alderneys from the fact that the vessels plying between these islands and New England touched at Alderney last, and consequently when the craft entered the ports of England they were said to be from Alderney. The color of the Jersey cow as found upon the island is light-red and white, also brown and fawn; the latter is generally the favorite color. The Guernsey cattle are the largest of the breeds of the Channel islands, but not so symmetrical as the Jersey. They, however, vary less in color than the Jersey, and are generally of a light yellowish red and white. The Alderneys are no larger than the Jerseys, but the horns are particularly small and turned in; in color they vary little from other breeds, though the Alderney is frequently found of a darker tawny brown than the others; the milk and butter qualities vary but little.

SHEEP.

Sheep, good sheep, are the best of stock;
There's pleasure and profit in keeping a flock;
They please the eye with their beauty of form;
They clothe your back with their wool so warm;
And, at spring comes round, your pockets they fill
With the crisp and beautiful dollar bill.

There are various ways in which it pays to keep sheep on the farm. For reclaiming a worn-out farm there is no stock so good as sheep. Sheep are vegetable scavengers. They will eat and digest a very large number of plants that horses and cattle will never touch. They have a desire for a variety of food and will sometimes leave grass to feed on the leaves of bushes and weeds. For six or seven years a sheep will yield a fleece equal in value to its own body. During all the time the increase in number will pay for the keeping. It is a branch of farming that is always prosperous. Mutton always brings a higher price than beef. Spring lamb invariably brings a good price. Sheep are the best adapted to furnishing meat for a farmer's family than any animal he raises.

Sheep should not be housed in too close quarters. Even in dry, cold weather, it is best to let them have a good range with a dry, well protected shed at night. Sheep should have access to clean, running water. The nature of sheep does not require much corn or other heating foods. A few potatoes fed to sheep occasionally, will keep their skin in good condition. Flat turnips in the early part of the winter, are excellent feed for sheep, along with four or five pounds of good hay, with a half pint of corn, or a pint of oats. Ruta bagas might follow the flat turnips, and in the spring when ewes are coming in, mangel wurzels are recommended